

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is rising on the Coast and unsettled, mild weather prevails over this Province. Fine weather, with moderate temperatures, continues in the Prairies.

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## MINISTER OF RAILWAYS APPOINTED AND SWORN

City's Sinking Funds Are Up to Requirements for First Time in Many Years

### Mayor's Statement Shows Satisfactory Civic Improvement

Mr. Herbert Anscomb Says Collection of Current Taxes Reaches 91 Per Cent, and Building Construction Figures Are Nearly \$4,000,000. New Total for Past Ten Years

### Steady Demand for City-Owned Property Continues

ALL the city's sinking funds are up to requirements for the first time in many years, collections of current taxes amounting to approximately 91 per cent, being the highest percentage of collections for many years, building construction reached nearly \$4,000,000, which is in advance of anything for the last ten years, and there is a steady and continuing demand for properties owned by the city, with good prices being obtained for most of the properties sold.

These encouraging results are revealed in a brief report by His Worship Mayor Anscomb on the work of the principal branches of civic affairs for the past twelve months, which he laid before the City Council at its final meeting for 1929 yesterday.

Mayor Anscomb noted that the general improvement in conditions throughout Victoria and district were reflected in the increased use made of the library and its facilities, streets and circulation being substantially improved. He congratulated Chief Fry and the staff of the police department upon their excellent work, and said the fire department continued to function in its usual efficient manner. He thanked the council for the loyal support given during the year, and for the harmonious way in which the business of the city has been carried on, and the civic department heads and employees for their assistance and co-operation.

"May the coming year see a continuation of the friendly spirit existing between the city and the administration of civic affairs, and be filled with abundant happiness for all our citizens," is the wish of His Worship.

Copies of the Mayor's report were ordered distributed to all members of the City Council.

## MAYOR'S REPORT

Major Anscomb's report is as follows:

"To the citizens of Victoria.—I beg to submit a brief report on the work of the principal branches of civic affairs for the past twelve months.

**FINANCE AND TAXATION**

Debentures paid off during the last year amounted to \$208,271. With the issue of \$100,000 new debentures for hospital purposes, the debenture debt of the city now

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**Leading German Car Inventor Is Called by Death**

**STUTTGART, Germany, Dec. 30.**—Herr Wilhelm Maybach, one of the leading German automobile manufacturers and widely known for his developments in the automobile field, died today, aged eighty-four.

Herr Maybach produced the Mercedes car and also invented many automobile accessories.

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**From the Colonist Tower**

Tuesday, Dec. 31

## THE WEATHER

Victoria, Vicinity—Decreasing westerly winds, cloudy and mild, with occasional rain.

Sun Rises: 8:05 o'clock.

Sun Sets: 4:28 o'clock.

High Tide: 12:26 p.m., 2.5 ft.

Low Tide: 11:43 p.m., 1.1 ft.

Sports

**Victoria Rugby team to meet Varsity here in McKechnie Cup game. Sunday chosen by Vancouver Lions, orphans Cub second straight defeat.**

Record price for racing in Tsawwassen Valley paid by Dolly Ray Marsons the Queen of Internationals. Section of N.H.L.

The News

**Local and Provincial**

Mayor's statement shows satisfactory progress. City Council declines to regulate number of motor vehicles flying for hire on Haultain Route.

**Minister of Railways and Foreign Affairs, Hon. T. A. Crerar, sworn in as Minister of Railways and Canals and Hon. Mr. Forke goes to Senate.**

Congress meeting today at Lahore being anxiously watched for action of Independence party in India. Another heavy gale in Great Britain causes death of eight people and does much damage.

### CONGRESS IN INDIA TODAY IS FATEFUL

Great Britain Carefully Watching Results of Meetings of All-Indian Conference and Is Anxious

#### MR. CHANDI MEETS WITH ONE DEFEAT

**LAHORE, India, Dec. 30.**—Plenary sessions of the All-India Conference, which will consider resolutions asking the complete independence of India from the British Crown, will begin tomorrow. Mahatma Gandhi, the Nationalist leader, who introduced a proposal favoring complete independence to be attained gradually, using non-violent methods as a means of bringing this about, suffered his first defeat in the Congress today. The subjects committee rejected the working committee's proposal to appoint permanent committees to do the congress work in respect to un-touchability, Khadjiar (Hindooism) and prohibition. The Opposition characterized the proposed decentralization as an act of suicide on the part of the congress.

**NATIONALITY**

The subjects committee, by a narrow margin of one vote—114 to 113, defeated an amendment to the Ghandi resolution which would have deleted an appreciative reference to the Viceroy's offer of a round-table conference. The Opposition, however, will try to reverse this decision in the open conference.

**FINANCE AND TAXATION**

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**CITY SOLICITOR'S REPORT IS FILED**

The City Council at its meeting yesterday declined to take any action towards the regulation of motor vehicles plying for hire on the Haultain bus route.

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**"HEAVY GALE IN BRITAIN KILLS EIGHT**

The council undoubtedly has the power of regulation, but any regulation put into effect would have to be reasonable and could not be so strict as to amount to prohibition. If the council felt it was desirable to put into effect some form of regulation on this street, and will state the nature of the regulations desired, I shall prepare a by-law in accordance with your

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**TRAIN WRECK IS FATAL TO TWO OF CREW**

C.N.R. Freight Train Is Derailed and Engine Driver and Brakeman Meet Their Deaths

#### ACCIDENT OCCURS NEAR BOSTON BAR

**VANCOUVER, Dec. 30.**—L. I. Ross, engine driver, and H. J. Reese, brakeman, were killed when a Canadian National Railway freight train was wrecked today in a rockslide at Boston Bar, east of here.

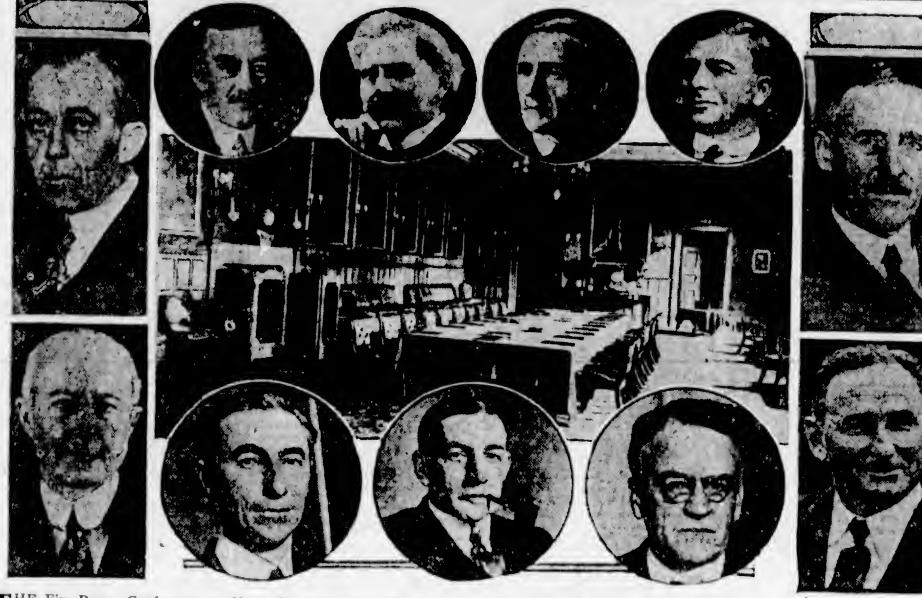
The train was en route from Kamloops to Vancouver. The engine and three cars were derailed. The engine ran down the bank of the Fraser River, crashing with it. Engineer Ross and Brakeman John Dunbar, Medical aid was rushed from Lytton, but both men were dead when the doctors arrived.

The bodies of the two men were recovered from the wreckage of the engine taken to Kamloops, at which place they remain.

The company expected to have the track cleared by midnight for regular traffic.

The unopened package reached its destination on December 26. It bore its original Christmas seal and also the official seal of the Canadian Government with the poison warning of the food and drug administration.

### Statesmen Who Will Talk Naval Reductions



THE Five-Power Conference on Naval Disarmament will take place in St. James' Palace, London, England, on January 21, when His Majesty the King will open the proceedings and make his first public speech since his illness in 1928. Above are the British and United States Secretaries of State for Great Britain; Rt. Hon. J. Ramsay MacDonald, Premier of Great Britain; Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, Foreign Secretary of State for India; Rt. Hon. A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty, and Secretary of State Stimson, of the United States. Centre is the room in the Court of St. James which will be the scene of the conference. Bottom, left to right, are the remainder of the United States delegates to the conference: Secretary of the Navy Adams, Hugh Gibson, Ambassador Charles Dawes, Ambassador Dwight Morrow and Senator Robinson.

### British "White Paper" Is Cause of Much Talk Among Statesmen of Two Nations

**WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.**—Secretary Stimson, in a statement today, said the "British White Paper," an interpretation of obligations created by the League of Nations, does not state that there could be no neutrals in any future war. He said that the paper in question contains nothing contrary to the United States position as a signatory of the Kellogg-Briand Pact.

Mr. Stimson said that the assertion had been credited to the "White Paper" that in any future war there would be neutrals and that he had apparently "been misinformed" here that this assertion had been made by the British Government as a general fact without any limitations.

Mr. Stimson said that this situation followed as a result of execution of the Kellogg-Briand Pact.

The Secretary said that he had received a copy of the "White Paper," and after reading it carefully had found that these assumptions as to the position of the British Government were unfounded.

"The argument made by the British Government," he said, "was based upon the obligations of that Government to its fellow members in the League of Nations, and upon the obligations assumed by members of that Covenant, and its argument that as between members of the League there can be no neutral rights because there can be no neutrals.

The argument thus does not apply to the position of the United States as a signatory of the Kellogg-Briand Pact."

Mr. Stimson continued: "As has been pointed out many times, that pact contains no covenant similar to that in the Covenant of the League of Nations providing for joint forceful action by various signatories against an aggressor."

NEW CROWN JUSTICE

**OTTAWA, Dec. 30.**—It was announced today that Hon. J. E. Prendergast, of the Manitoba Court of Appeals, has been appointed Chief Justice in Manitoba.

**EUROPEAN COAST ALSO STRICKEN**

**LONDON, Dec. 30.**—At least eight deaths were caused by the southwest gale which swept over Great Britain and the European sea coast over the weekend before last.

Most of the casualties were on board, where the wind blew down trees and steeples and caused the collapse of several houses. The fatalities reported were in Belgium and France, but several persons were injured in cities of North-western Germany.

A member of the crew of the Atlantic Hull to Alexandria, was killed when a huge wave hurled him against the bulwarks, and another man had both legs broken.

A derelict wooden vessel, broken bottom, was driven ashore yesterday against the high cliffs of the Shetland Islands, but salvagers were unable to reach it before night.

By this evening conditions had returned nearly to normal except for flood waters in the Thames Valley. Channel shipping and the Imperial Airways resumed services.

A continuous search from Friday, December 20, to Sunday Dec. 22, finally brought to light the probable Canadian destination of the fruit cake. Inspector Larick warned the family by long distance telephone, that he reported to the commercial telephony of the Canadian Legion, who telephoned Dominion food authorities.

HAD MISTAKEN POWDER

Investigation revealed that a sack of flour in the cake-maker's home accidentally had been mixed with a white powder purchased as an insecticide for garden use and containing calcium arsenite. The housewife who baked the fruit cake and who ate food made from the powdered flour, is now in a serious condition from arsenic poisoning. Dr. Dunbar said.

Dr. G. P. Dunbar, assistant chief of the food and drug administration, said the first specimen of the contaminated cakes were delivered

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**THREE DIE OF COLD**

**MEXICO CITY, Dec. 30.**—Three persons died here of cold during the night. The deaths brought the total from the cold weather for the month to thirteen.

Date of Opening  
Of Parliament to  
Be Known Shortly

O TTAWA, Dec. 30.—The date for the opening of Parliament will be given out as early as possible in the New Year. This was stated by Premier Mackenzie King tonight. There will be no further meeting of the Cabinet for some time.

**LATEST PLAN OF CHINA TO JUMP DUTIES**

Minister of Finance Proposes to Inaugurate New and Higher Tariffs Beginning Next February

#### GOVERNMENT KEEPS TO SILENT POLICY

**NANKING, Dec. 30.**—The Central Daily News, local organ of the Nationalist Government, today said the Ministry of Finance is planning to inaugurate on February 1 numerous changes in China's present import tariff schedule, whose first year of operation closes on January 31.

Although official announcements were lacking it was expected the changes would constitute a general upward revision from the present schedule.

The present Tariff Act, when inaugurated, was termed by the Nationalist Government as "temporary, experimental and effective for one year, when a more thoroughly considered schedule becomes effective."

#### BEING KEPT SECRET

Although the proposed new rates were not mentioned, said The Central Daily News, it was anticipated that cigarette imports, which during the past year have been subjected to a maximum levy of 50 per cent, will be taxed to a minimum of 65 per cent under the new schedule.

Other anticipated rates include piece goods, 15 per cent.; an increase of 50 per cent., and knitted goods, 40 per cent., as against 15 per cent. at present.

The newspaper said a host of other imports were due for increased levies. Such a schedule, if executed, is expected to result in further increases in the cost of living and in business expenses in China which experienced a sharp upward trend in the last year, especially among persons using imported products. This group includes the foreigners.

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**China Thinks Japan Not to Be Menacing**

**Mr. Crerar Will Not Take Duties For Three Weeks**

O TTAWA, Dec. 30.—Hon. T. A. Crerar, who was today sworn in as Minister of Railways and Canals, took place before Hon. the Governor-General this evening. As Mr. Crerar was already a Minister of the Privy Council, it was only necessary for him to be sworn in to the portfolio. This took only a few minutes.

WATCHING THE "REDS"

The Brussels Northern station, where the party will entrain, will be guarded heavily by police and a score of detectives posted along the road to the station and along the tracks of the frontier, and sideways, bridges and crossings will be guarded by military gendarmes and police. All known anarchists, Communists and antifascists are being closely watched.

Similar measures are slated to have taken at Luxembourg and French and Swiss territories.

#### DUKE OF YORK GOES

**LONDON, Dec. 30.**—The Duke of York will represent His Majesty the King next week at the marriage of Crown Prince Humbert of Italy and Princess Marie Jose of Belgium.

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## NEW YEAR'S SPECIALS

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3 lbs. for ..... 81.24		3 lbs. for ..... 81.24	
Pure Leaf Lard, per lb. 17¢	17¢	Domestic Shortening, lb. 18¢	18¢
3 lbs. for ..... 56¢		2 lbs. for ..... 35¢	
Crisco, 3-lb. cans 75¢	75¢	Fine Ayshire Roll, sliced, per lb. 39¢	39¢
Fine Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb. 31¢	31¢	Smoked Cottage Rolls, lb. 31¢	31¢
Fine Sweet Pickled Picnic Hams, per lb. 29¢	29¢	They Are Delicious	
Finest Mild Cheese, per lb. 27¢	27¢	Finest Sweet Pickled Cottage Rolls, per lb. 30¢	30¢
Mild Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon, piece cut, per lb. 32¢	32¢	Finest Matured Ontario Cheese, per lb. 50¢	50¢
Sliced, per lb. 37¢	37¢	Lunch Tongue, sliced, lb. 50¢	50¢
Premium Wieners, per lb. 30¢	30¢	Finest Sauerkraut, 2 lbs. 15¢	15¢
Farmland Pure Pork Sausages, per lb. 28¢	28¢	Finest Home-Made Mincemeat, per lb. 15¢	15¢

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Whole Ham, 33¢ per lb. .... **35¢**

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3 lbs. for ..... 81.30

Pure Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. can 45¢

Holsum Blackberry Jam, 4-lb. cans 39¢

Asparagus Tips, 1 lb. 29¢

Heinz Pork and Beans, 3 lbs. for ..... 29¢

Fine Jumbo Jordan Almonds, per lb. 70¢

South African Pineapple, cubes, large cans 25¢

Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 10-lb. bags 45¢

Bread Flour, 7-lb. bags 32¢

Heinz Tomato Catsup, 2 bottles for ..... 29¢

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Fancy Oregon Franquette Walnuts, per lb. 40¢

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Spanish Table Raisins, per pkt. 18¢ and 35¢

Almond Icing, the real thing; per lb. 45¢

Fine Smyrna Figs, lb. 30¢ and 35¢

Table Dates, Dromedary, per pkt. 20¢

Great Crystallized Ginger, per lb. 29¢

Watson's Dry Ginger Ale, 2 bottles for ..... 25¢

Per dozen 81.35

Netted Gem Potatoes, 7 lbs. for ..... 25¢

Christmas Crackers at 20% Reduction to Clear

## BUS ISSUE SITUATION UNCHANGED

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instructions," Mr. Pringle said. Following a lengthy discussion the council, on motion of Alderman J. L. Mars, seconded by Alderman Robert A. C. Dewar, ordered the city collector's report "received and filed."

### PROPOSAL DEFEATED

Later, the council rejected, on a nine-to-two vote, a motion sponsored by Alderman E. S. Woodward, seconded by Alderman H. O. Litchfield, that the city collector be instructed to confer with the Provincial Public Works Department with view to securing the right to re-establish the rights of the city over all the streets of the city.

After City Solicitor Pringle's report had been read to the council, Alderman Woodward said he considered that the city should seek legislation to re-establish its rights over all its streets. He suggested that the city collector should be authorized to confer with the Public Works Department to see if the city could have the right to prohibit and prohibit in respect to all city streets. He observed that the city would have the right to prohibit in connection with motor buses plying for hire on Haultain Street if it were not for a clause in Section 24 of the Victoria City Act, 1920, which states that the council shall not exercise its power to prohibit so as to prevent any motor vehicle from plying for hire on the Gorge Road, Quadra Street or Haultain Street.

Alderman Woodward referred to recent communications received by the council from the Public Works Department, asking the city if it would recommend that certificates be issued to transportation companies to ply on the Haultain bus route. "Why should we prohibit to public individuals to use our city streets?" Proper regulation such as to prevent too much traffic or the like, is another matter entirely, and one which we should have. I would like to see the rival companies get together and reach a working arrangement, and settle their own differences. Instead of competing with the council and putting it in the invidious position of having to choose between them," Alderman Mars asserted.

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On New Year's Day the annual raffle of the Presbyterian Sunday school will take place at St. Andrew's church, commencing at 11 o'clock and lasting one hour. The offering is reserved for visitors, and the offering goes to the missions of the Presbyterian Church. Rev. A. Thompson will give the address.

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## THE OLD AND THE NEW

We happened to look up at the calendar hanging on the wall, and behold that it was the last day of the year. We tore the last leaf off the calendar and dropped it into the waste-paper basket. And so far as this department is concerned, that was the only ceremony that officially marked the death of the year 1929; but memories of the old year could not be dealt with so summarily; they could not be torn from the mind like a leaf from the calendar and dropped in the waste-paper basket. As the old year tottered on worn and weary feet towards the boundary of the far country for which we are all bound, while we remembered that on the whole he had dealt very gently with us, we also could not but remember that during his reign, begun amidst great acclaim just twelve short months ago, many old friends, and not a few young friends whose span of life was all too short, had passed ahead of the old year and us into the mysterious shadow-land.

Ah, well, our readers will say, and will be justified in saying, of what avail such dull, dreary and dismal reflections in times like these when the procession of life surges along so swiftly and merrily. In the old days when the king died, the herald sounded a trumpet and cried: "The king is dead; long live the king!" Even in our own times the band which leads a procession to the cemetery playing a solemn dead march returns from the cemetery playing a merry and quick march.

After all, there is so real substance in the thing we call the year; it is but an abstraction or so many days marked upon a calendar for the purposes of business or pleasure. Why mope or mourn for a wrath or a shadow when the multitude is shouting for joy over the birth of a new year which, while it also is without form or substance, yet by exercise of the imagination may be endowed with abounding life and carry in its triumphant train great expectations of brighter days and more prosperous times. So ring out the old with slow and solemn tones of the bells and ring in the new with merry chimes. Pull down the old calendar from the wall and hang up a new one in its place. Forget the past; look forward in hope and confidence towards the future.

The year which is dead was given a bolorous reception when it was born. It was to be a year of great expectations and rich realizations. All the great expectations were realized—up to a certain point. At that point visions began to fade and doubts to appear. A partial crop failure in Canada was followed by a stock crash in the United States. To use a term which was greatly in vogue a few years ago, there are certain "interlocking" relations between the business of the United States and the business of Canada. The Congress of the United States is doing its best to limit the bounds of that interlocking business, but still abounds to some extent. The partial crop failure in Canada may not have had any effect whatever upon the business of the United States, but the stock crash in the United States exchanges undoubtedly did affect the business of Canada.

The President of the United States, after taking counsel with the big business interests of that country, decided that something must be done to create, by modern psychological processes, an atmosphere of business and industrial hope and confidence. If business actually was bad, it could be made better, if not actually good, by cultivating an impression that it was good. It was not necessary to do anything of that kind in Canada, for business in Canada, while it has not reached the high expectations entertained in the early part of the year, is not as buoyant as it would have been but for the partial crop failure and the fall of paper values on the stock exchanges. While we realize that when business is dull it cannot be made active by deluding ourselves into the belief that it is good any more than a man by taking thought can add a certain number of cubits to his stature, there is not the least doubt that compared with other countries Canada is a prosperous land and the prospects for the future exceedingly bright.

If the Canadian crop has not been up to expectations, we have passed beyond the point when we carried all our wealth and hopes in a market basket. Canada is a great agricultural country, and agriculture always will be one of our basic industries; but Canada has become a great industrial country, and our many and varied industries are being rapidly developed upon many and varied natural resources, upon the natural wealth of our mines and forests and fisheries and almost infinite water powers. We are blessed with stable government and security of life and property. Whatever the new year may bring to other countries, and notably to our Mother Country, where the conditions both at home and abroad are far from reassuring, it brings an assurance of peace and prosperity to Canada.

## CHANGES AT OTTAWA

The King Government is going to celebrate the advent of the new year by a process of elimination and augmentation. Hon. Robert Forke, who has been neither a source of strength nor of inspiration, is going out and Hon. T. A. Crerar, who is expected to be both, is coming in. The Premier, knowing that a general election must be held at either as early a date as possible or at as remote a date as possible as seems to be most convenient considering the business circumstances of the country, is trying to strengthen his Ministry at the point where it seems to be weak. Recent political events have indicated that the Government has lost strength in the West as well as in the East. There is little hope of the administration of a tonic restoring the strength that has been lost in Ontario. There

is believed to be a chance of recovering the ground that has been lost in the West. Hence the exit of Forke and the advent of Crerar. As someone has said: "The coming political battle, whenever it comes, will be fought on the Western Front." That strategic front does not include British Columbia. It does not extend beyond the barricade of mountains. For a time the hope was entertained that the reconstruction of the Government would be begun in this province and finished at some point in the East. But the Premier put his foot down on the movement in this province, on the ground that it might not prove effective and might prove hazardous. So that the Government which will go to the country is the Government as it has been reconstructed and possibly strengthened where it was weak. Although the Government, through its chosen agencies at Ottawa, is following the example of the Government of the United States, and trying to create a favorable psychological business and political atmosphere, it is not likely to face a general election while the existing political and business conditions prevail.

## WIDOW'S PRAYER ANSWERED

In the absence of R.B.D., otherwise engaged, the editor takes the liberty of acknowledging receipt from correspondents of copies of four versions of St. Patrick's Prayer. We thank our contributors for the pains they have taken to relieve a widow who is in spiritual trouble as well as in unfortunate worldly circumstances. Space will not permit of the publication of more than one of the prayers of the Saint, and the one we have chosen was enclosed in the following timely and interesting letter:

318 Vancouver St., Victoria, B.C.  
December 28, 1929.

Dear R.B.D.—Here are two versions of St. Patrick's prayer, or hymn, or breastplate, for your widow correspondent.

The widow's problem is a difficult one to answer; in fact, it is one of those affairs that arouses sympathy, but all the same outsiders had better stay outside and keep their advice to themselves. Some mothers are no better than they ought to be as mothers—but it ought to be a comfort to you with children to have a parent who needs help, especially the mother. It is possible, however, that with the best will in the world what a man or woman can do for a parent is little enough, financially. A place in the son's home seems logical, but is not always possible. It does not appear whether your correspondent's son is married, a big factor in such a problem. Many a good mother and son have been separated by marriage—and the cause is not always the same.

I will do harm to remind your correspondent that in this province the law throws a duty on children to provide for parents under certain conditions. Perhaps if she got some friend to remind her son of that fact it might do some good, and then again it might not.

With the best of the season's good wishes and may you long continue to delight a widening circle of readers, including

Fraternally,  
ROBT. J. HARTLEY.

St. Patrick's Hymn, commonly known as St. Patrick's Breastplate, is probably a genuine production of the saint and is in any case very old.

The best literal translation from the original Irish is that by Whitley Stokes, a foremost authority on Gaelic and Celtic lore.

I bind myself today to a strong virtue, an invocation of the Trinity;

I believe in Threeness with confession of a One, and in the Creator of the Universe.

I bind myself today to the virtue of Christ's birth with his baptism;

To the virtue of his crucifixion with his burial;

To the virtue of his resurrection with his ascension;

To the virtue of his coming to the Judgment of Doom.

I bind myself today to the virtue of ranks of Cherubim;

In obedience of Angels,

In service of Archangels,

In hope of resurrection for reward,

In prayers of Patriarchs,

In predictions of Prophets,

In preachings of Apostles,

In faiths of Confessors,

In innocence of holy Virgins,

In deeds of righteous men.

I bind myself today to the virtue of Heaven,

In light of Sun,

In brightness of Snow,

In splendor of Fire,

In speed of Lightning,

In swiftness of Wind,

In depth of Ocean,

In stability of Earth,

In compactness of Rock.

I bind myself today to God's virtue to pilot me,

God's Might to uphold me,

God's Wisdom to guide me,

God's Eye to look before me,

God's Ear to hear me,

God's Word to speak for me,

God's Hand to guard me,

God's Way to lead me,

God's Shield to protect me,

God's Host to secure me.

Against snares of demons,

Against seductions of vices,

Against lusts of nature,

Against everyone who wishes ill to me,

Afar and near,

Alone and in a multitude!

So have I invoked all these virtues between me and these.

Against every cruel merciless power which may come against my body and my soul;

Against incantations of false prophets,

Against black laws of heathenry,

Against false laws of heretics,

Against spells of women and smiths and druids,

Against every knowledge that defiles men's souls.

Christ to protect me today.

Against poison, against burning, against drowning,

Against lightning, against deathwound,

Until multitude of rewards come to me.

Christ with me, Christ before me, Christ behind me,

Christ below me, Christ above me, Christ at my right, Christ at my left!

Christ in breadth, Christ in length, Christ in height!

Christ in heart of everyone who thinks of me,

Christ in the mouth of everyone who speaks to me,

Christ in every eye that sees me,

Christ in every ear that hears me!

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## HIS THIRD DEGREE

"Did you put this man through the 'third degree?'" asked the police sergeant.

"We brought him in and badgered him with every question we could think of."

"And what did he do?" "Oh, he fell into a dose and merely said now and then, 'Yes, my dear, you are perfectly right.'"

"The Dragoman" in The London Daily Express.

First there cometh to the mind a bare thought, then a strong imagination of evil, then a delight thereof and an evil motion, and then consent, and so, little by little, our wicked enemy geteth complete entrance, while he is not resisted at the beginning—Thomas-a-Kempis.

This is the curse of every evil deed, that propagating still, it bringeth forth evil—S. T. Coleridge.

The three essential qualities of good citizenship are common sense, knowledge and devotion—E. M. White

## Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

## FOREIGNERS IN CANADA

Sir—I note in The Colonist a letter on the above subject. Mr. Drayton, in common with thousands of his few countrymen, is inclined to attribute every evil on the continent to the foreigners. As myself, kindly allow a little space to clear up this fallacy.

I am not a Socialist, but I believe with them that all wealth comes from labor, the laborers in turn often becoming a capitalist and employs more labor, and by this means a new country is built up. The United States of America is an example of this. I doubt if a single factory in America could run a day without foreign laborers.

Mr. Drayton is to be congratulated for taking enough interest in the country he lives in to discuss the question in the press. The people are getting tired of the boasting about the bush by our public men. We are faced with a period of depression in business, and this cannot be cured by talking about "cabbages and kings."

F. J. BOURNE

Glenelg Hotel, Victoria, B.C.

December 28, 1929.

MOHAMMEDANS must wash their hands and feet before entering the mosque at prayer time. Just outside the mosque of Constantinople there are public fountains for this purpose. Here all the "followers of the Faithful" perform their daily ablutions.

CHRISTMAS IN HOSPITAL

Sir—I feel that I cannot but express our thanks for the care and kindness shown us here this holiday season by the sisters, doctors and nurses and all kind friends. It certainly brings back to me memories of when we were overseas where we got to know the care and concern of the sick and the kind acts of the nurses and the like.

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**PROPOSED PAPER  
FOR THE MOVEMENT**

The Boys' Parliament in session last evening decided that the objective of the movement, \$3,600, distributed in what was agreed upon would be fair shares among the different constituencies.

As originally introduced, the budget provided for the raising of \$500. When the various allocations were under consideration, however, a Victoria representative in the person of Ross Joss, Minister of Devotional Affairs, felt that the amount set down for the capital city of the province was too low, and he accordingly moved to raise it from \$400 to \$425. The only other constituency that ranked higher in the allotments was that of New Westminster, which embraces a considerable part of the Lower Mainland, and which was placed at \$575.

Following this offer on the part of Victoria, Mr. Edington, David Westaway, from Kamloops, offered to take a raise for Thompson, bringing it from \$50 to \$125.

This obligation was taken over for the work in hand this year, following the adoption of the budget set out for the work. This amounts in all to \$4,300. The boys in their own districts undertake to raise the \$3,500 for the work.

**HOW DISBURSED**

The expenditures of the moneys made under the Religious Education Council of British Columbia, which is composed of a body of representative workers among the young people, including not only the work with the boys, but also with the girls.

The girls will make a drive for funds in connection with their work, and the distribution for the year as between the two was set out at \$4,300 for the boys and \$5,700 for the girls.

Cyril Williams, of Vancouver Centre, the Minister of Finance, in bringing down the budget covering the year's operations, also mentioned the fact that it was larger than before. This was due in large measure to the fact that they had a Boys' Work secretary in the person of Mr. Frank Findler. This official was referred to him as second to none other in Canada.

The reference to Mr. Findler met with loud applause from the members.

Some of the enterprises of the past year were referred to by the minister, included that of the fastidious and brilliant Mr. Findler had attended twenty-eight of these. The national athletic meets throughout the province and the various camps held were also referred to by the minister.

Mr. Findler had made a very strong effort in the work of organization in Vancouver, Vancouver Island and in the Lower Mainland. Following this Parliament, it was his intention to launch out on an extension campaign throughout the whole of British Columbia.

**DIVISION OF COST**

In making reference to the objective of \$3,600, he said that this was not too great, he believed. With 1,500 boys in the province in this work it would mean only something like \$1.15 being raised by each member.

In this connection, he referred to one boy last year alone raising \$78. This was a Japanese boy, who was enthusiastic in this work.

The bill covering the raising of the money, and which was varied at last night's session of the parliament, sets out the methods to be employed. The campaigns that are conducted are done with the co-operation of the Religious Education Council and with the Girls' Young People's movement.

After the passing of the bill, the premier, Irvine Dawson, lauded the splendid spirit that was shown by the various members in the meeting of the allocations which went to their districts. He hoped that they would manifest a deep activity in attempting to live up to the amounts which were assigned to them.

**THE BUDGET**

The requirement estimated for the carrying on of the work is set out as follows:

Secretarial, \$1,800; stenographic, \$680; travelling, \$400; National Boys' Work Board, \$200; Canadian Mentor, \$50; Boys' Parliament, \$80; literature and pamphlets, \$50; International Convention of Young People, \$40; Father and Son, \$15; Three C's campaign, \$50; new office equipment and library, \$20; rent and phone, \$230; printing and stationery, \$120; telegrams, \$10; postage and office supplies, \$200; budget campaign expenses, \$200; contingent, \$35. Total, \$4,300.

**PROPOSED PAPER**

Before the House adjourned, on motion of the premier, a resolution was passed expressing the readiness of the organization to co-operate when at any time the National Council might decide to take steps to provide for a permanent fund to the work throughout the Dominion. On the premier's motion, Kenneth Beckett, of Vancouver, was elected delegate to the conference to be held in Toronto in June, 1930, dealing with the national subject of religious education. The alternate delegate elected was Gordon Field, of Victoria.

**TRAFFIC AFFECTED**

**PRINCE RUPERT, Dec. 30.—High** water on the Kryx River and slides in the neighborhood of Kwinitsa, resulting in damage to the Kryx River between here and Terrace, has affected rail traffic, but the difficulty is expected to be cleared by Wednesday.

## BOYS' SESSION PLANS WORK FOR NEW YEAR

Budget of \$4,300 Is Approved by Youthful Legislators, of Which Sum Boys Undertake \$3,600

**Obituary**

**BOURNE**—The funeral of William Henry Bourne took place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. A. deB. Owen officiating in the presence of several friends. The pallbearers were Messrs. James Martin, G. H. Wilson, James Wilson and T. Wakeman. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

**ELDER**—The remains of Lyle Elder were laid to rest at Royal Oak Burial Park yesterday afternoon, the funeral taking place from Hayward's Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock, Rev. G. S. Paton officiating. The hymns sung were "Come, O Come, Emmanuel," "I Need Thee Every Hour," "A Large number of friends were present, and numerous beautiful floral designs were placed on the casket and hearse. The pallbearers were Messrs. L. H. Brookbank, C. Gray, L. Ewens, E. Dolman, F. Vaux and F. A. Bergwall.

**CURRY**—After a short illness at St. Joseph's Hospital, Mrs. Sarah Jane Curry, aged seventy years, passed away on Sunday. Mrs. Curry was born at Four Falls, New Brunswick, and came to this city from Edmonton six months ago. She had been a resident with her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Hale, 1439 Hamilton Street, since her arrival in Victoria. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. R. H. Hale, of this city, and Mrs. J. M. Gilmore, Edmonton, Alberta, and one niece, Miss Curry, 1072 St. Patrick Street; also two brothers. The remains will be forwarded by S. J. Curry & Son from Kootenay and Boundary country and interment will be made in the family plot (Edmonton and Innisfail papers please copy).

**RICE**—There passed away on Sunday evening, Kate Rice, wife of Mr. Thomas B. Rice, of West Saanich. She is mourned by her husband and one daughter, Miss Agnes, and one son, Michael, at home; also a brother and sister in England. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from McCallum Brothers' Funeral Home, corner of Vancouver and Johnson Streets, at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. S. A. Bastien will conduct the service after which interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

**SIMITH**—Funeral service for Marjorie Smith, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on December 28, was held Sunday afternoon from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives and many friends attended the service, which was conducted by Rev. A. J. Vincent. Girls of the CGLT also attended. Beautiful flowers covered the little casket, and Miss Vera Middleton sang a solo.

Had a cheerful, interesting personality and his death will be widely mourned.

Mrs. Weaver survives him in Ladysmith; there is a sister in Winnipeg; also two brothers and a sister in England.

The funeral will be held today from Jenkins' Undertaking Rooms, Nainaimo, to St. John's Church, Ladysmith, where the Oddfellows will take charge, and interment will follow at Ladysmith Cemetery.

Contesting the police commissioner's office are Messrs. Charles King and F. Cawsey. In connection with the school board vacancies, the retiring members, Messrs. Jeune and W. R. Woods, will both stand again. For the vacant seat caused by the retirement of Mr. F. V. Hobbs, no candidate has as yet come forward.

In order to explain the money by-laws for the new school buildings, for which the sanction of the rate-

## SAANICH WILL HAVE CONTESTS FOR ALL SEATS

**Premier Sees Progress**

**KEMPTVILLE, Ont., Dec. 30.—A** year of steady progress and prosperity for Ontario during 1930, is foreseen by Premier G. Howard Ferguson. He gave out this optimistic message for the New Year when he arrived here yesterday to spend a few quiet days at his home.

## MR. R. E. WEAVER PASSES AWAY

**HAD BEEN RESIDENT OF LADYSMITH DISTRICT FOR GENERATIONS—WIDELY KNOWN THROUGH PROVINCE**

One of the best-known residents of Ladysmith, where he had resided for more than thirty years, Mr. Richard Ernest Weaver, 1439 Hamilton Avenue, died on Saturday evening at the age of sixty-four years. He was a native of Tenbury, Worcestershire, England.

Mr. Weaver was keenly interested in the affairs of Ladysmith, where he took up his residence after many years' experience as a traveler for the Canadian Pacific Company, during which time he traveled the Kootenay and Boundary country and was widely known there.

For a long period he managed the branch store of Simon Leiser & Company at Ladysmith, and when the business passed into new hands he retired. He was an executive member of the Ladysmith Conservative Association, a prominent Odd-fellow and closely identified with St. John's Anglican Church, Ladysmith.

He acted for some years as correspondent of The Colonist in Ladysmith, but recently had relinquished a number of his activities owing to resuming his traveling for his former employer. He spent a portion of each month in the Kootenay.

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Dorothy—Did he ask your mother?  
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Brothers-in-Law.—The Judges.

## FLYING BOATS FACILITATE PROSPECTING

Districts Hitherto Considered Inaccessible Reached With Speed and Safety by Airplane

### POWER COMPANY ACTIVE IN NORTH

The flying boat is going to prove of the greatest assistance in opening up the northern districts, which are regarded as inaccessible," said Mr. J. Wardlaw Stewart, of the Stewart Land Company, with headquarters at Stewart, B.C., who is at present in the city, and who had occasion to use a plane of the Canadian Airways connection with his sea-son's activities, crossing the Coast Range in Northern British Columbia several times during the past summer.

Representing the Northern Prospector Syndicate, Mr. Stewart investigated the territory to the north of the Portland Canal town north toward the Iskoot River, securing much valuable data on the district, which will be of great advantage next season when prospecting is planned on a much more extended scale by this organization.

"The airplane is the solution of the prospecting problems in our northern districts," continued Mr. Stewart, citing an incident where an engineer and his assistant had been landed on a lake within half an hour after leaving Stewart, from where it took them just seventeen days to make the return trip on foot.

"Once access by airboat is available to any extent, prospecting the interior of the northern country will be comparatively easy. That there is a great mineral belt north of Stewart is assured, and that there are big metal opportunities is proved by the location of over sixty mineral claims on Treaty Creek forty miles from Stewart, which were surveyed for Crown grants during the past summer by the Consolidated Company."

Telling of the development of the district during the past season Mr. Stewart said that many properties were being consistently developed and a large number of new stakings had been recorded. A considerable area of new territory on American Creek would come into the mining limelight in 1930. A great many claims were located at the headwaters of this creek last season, following the increased operation of operations on the American Boy Group, where, it is said, excellent results were obtained.

"The Canadian Eastern Railway had surveyed from the present end of steel at Redcliffe to Surprise Creek, thirty-two miles from Stewart. The new survey reduced grades considerably from the line laid out in 1919, and will open a shorter tunnel through the Bear River divide than was anticipated at that time.

"The Northern British Columbia Power Company, subsidiary of the Power Company of Canada, is very active in the district. This company has acquired the Dunwell Diesel power plant, which is now supplying power requirements to Stewart. It also owns power rights on American Creek, which considerate work was done last summer, and has at present two outfit wintering on the Nass River, where they are recording power volume from day to day. Recently the company purchased the principal lot in the townsite for the erection of an office building, and also acquired five and one-half acres of land for the location of their power plant. On January 9 the citizens of Stewart will vote on whether the town is to be incorporated or not.

The council voted a special grant of \$697.70 to the Children's Aid Society to enable it to pay off all outstanding accounts to date.

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Messrs. Musgrave, Whyte & Moffat will be paid \$200 on account of work on the special survey of the airfield at Toronto and Simcoe Streets, fronting Beacon Hill Park, the council decided when it adopted the recommendation of the finance committee.

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The Vancouver City Council sent the council a copy of a resolution it had passed urging the Dominion Government to call a conference of representatives of the Dominion, Provincial and Municipal Governments yesterday asking for the aid and deal with the unemployed situation which at present exists in the province in the bringing to that front plan in view.

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There would be provision for a good race course, and for all kinds of amusements. In a general way plans have been prepared by an engineer covering the area which lies about eight miles from Vancouver and about six miles from New Westminster.

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## City & District

New Agent Appointed—The agent of the B.C. Telephone Company at Duncan will be Miss Irene Triusdale, who will take office tomorrow in succession to Miss E. Powel. Miss Triusdale has experience of telephone operation in Courtenay and Duncan. Of recent years she has resided in Duncan.

Carriers on Visit—A party of 213 carrier boys selected from the city carriers of the Vancouver Province are making their headquarters at the Dominion Hotel during a visit to this city. Last evening they were guests at the Crystal Garden, and today will be shown the sights of the district during a drive.

Water Application—An application will be heard by the Provincial Water Board on Friday affecting water supplies in the Esquimalt-Harbour area. The Reeves-McDonald Mining Company, for purposes connected with its mining operations. The application will be objected to by the West Kootenay Power Company, whose source of supply for power, it is intended, would be affected by the granting of the franchise.

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The land where the course will be built was purchased from the Hudson's Bay Company and since that time more than \$30,000 was spent on improvements, and the official state nearly \$40,000 would be spent before the course is put in good shape. The assessment value of the property which will probably be imposed by the council if the by-law passes, will undoubtedly increase as the value of the surrounding land increases.

If the referendum passes, at the annual election the George Vale Golf Club will become, not only one of the best in the city and the province, but will be one of the first ranking courses in the Pacific Northwest.

The British Columbia Airways, Limited, advised the council that of the 100 passengers on board the plane which left Victoria on Tuesday morning, 95 were from the mainland.

A recommendation of the special zoning committee that the zoning of the District be amended to comply with the request of Mr. T. E. Rigby so that Fernwood Road, both on the east and west side between Gladstone and Penrose Streets, be zoned as a commercial area, was approved by the council.

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### Junior Rose Court

A party for Junior Rose Court and W.B.A. No. 1 members will be held in the Liberal room on Friday. Refreshments will be served to Juniors at 5:30 p.m. followed by a programme has been arranged. Tea will be served to Juniors later in the evening. Members wishing to donate sandwiches, cake, fruit, etc., are asked to leave them with Miss Reid at the Royal Dairy.

### Jordan River News

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Vixen and Buddy, who are at present living at Campbell River, are staying with Mr. C. Bent for a few days.

Mr. Silverthorne is spending a few days in Victoria.

Mrs. Wm. Stubbs, Jr., of Wellington, has been the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. G. Rough, during the last few days. She returned to Victoria on Saturday and intends visiting there and in Vancouver before returning to her home.

Mr. C. Ellison paid a visit to Jordan River on Friday last.

### Galiano Island News

Christmas service held in the Mission Room was well attended, the room being prettily decorated for the festive season. Rev. R. Symes gave an inspiring address.

Mr. Cyril Andrews is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cayzer.

The community singing held in the hall was well attended. Miss Ida New delighted all with a number of solos.

Misses Stella and Mary Shapland paid a brief visit home to Vancouver on Friday.

Mr. P. Stewart has as his guests his son, Mr. Gerald Steward, and his wife.

On Boxing Day a number of boys, accompanied by Rev. R. Symes, enjoyed a hike up the Northend Road.

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# Social and Personal

## Personals, Parties Visitors

**Reception at Government House**

The usual New Year's reception at Government House will be held tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, when His Honor will be addressed by Miss Mackenzie in receiving guests.

### New Year's Eve Dance

One of the events most looked forward to during the Winter season is always the New Year's ball at the Empress Hotel. This year the arrangement is slightly改变得 to make it one of the best ever held at the hotel. Over six hundred reservations have been made for tonight, those reserving tables including Mr. B. H. Anderson, Mr. L. B. Anderson, Mr. J. A. Brown, Mr. H. Brown, Mr. J. Black, Captain, Mr. B. C. Beck, Mr. G. C. Campbell, Mr. G. M. Lind, Mr. A. Cameron, Mr. D. O. Cameron, Mr. C. Collinson, Colonel H. G. Carey, Mr. W. Corfield, Mr. C. J. Carey, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Campbell, Mr. T. Collicott, Mr. R. E. Diespecker, Mr. Ross Downes, Mr. M. Everleigh, Mr. Eckhardt, Mr. R. T. Foster, Mr. F. G. Gilmour, Mr. and Mrs. G. Guinnan, Mr. and Mrs. Way, Mr. R. Gordon, Mr. High, Mr. J. K. Hodges, Mr. A. Helmcken, Mr. P. J. Hall, Dr. E. W. Hetherington, Mr. W. L. Hardie, Mr. W. H. Hutchison, Mr. Stuart Henderson, Mr. J. Hart, Hon. S. L. Howe, Mr. T. A. MacLennan, Mr. E. Jackson (Cobden Hill), Mr. W. E. Jones, Dr. J. Key, Mr. G. Kirk, Mr. Eustace Key, Mr. A. Little, Mr. Luney, Mr. W. Macfarlane, Mr. G. H. May, Mr. H. J. Mathews, Mr. R. N. McClellan, Mr. M. M. McGill, Mr. G. McDonald, Mr. R. H. Fadden, Mr. McCorkindale, Mr. Player, Mr. Pickering, Mr. G. W. Rutteford, Mr. W. Dawson, Mr. Roman, Mr. Reid, Mr. J. Rose, Mr. J. S. Williams, Mr. R. Semple, Mr. H. H. Shandley, Mr. J. S. Smith, Mr. F. Sommer, Mr. Spencer, Mr. Stackpool, Mr. B. Taylor, Mr. G. D. Tyson, Mr. V. Thompson, Mr. J. Tolmie, Mr. R. Treloar,



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## A Recent Bride and Groom



Lieutenant-Commander G. B. Barnes, R.C.N., and His Bride, Miss Daphne Gillespie, Whose Marriage Took Place on Saturday Afternoon at St. John's Church.

### From Ottawa

Hon. H. B. and Mrs. McGivener have arrived from Ottawa, and are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McGivener, at their home in Ottawa.

### In Hospital

Mrs. Wedlock, of 16 Menzies Street, is in St. Joseph's Hospital recuperating from an attack of bronchitis. She expects to return to her home in a few days.

### Entertains at Teas

The senior naval officers and officers of the Royal Canadian Naval Barracks, Esquimalt, will be at home from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on New Year's Day.

### At Deansery

The Very Rev. Dean Quinton will be "at home" to gentlemen on New Year's Day from 3 to 5:30 p.m. at Deansery.

### To Be At Home

Right Rev. C. D. Schofield and Mrs. Schofield will be "at home" on New Year's Day from 3 to 5:30 p.m. at Bishopscourt.

### From Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Galliher are here from Vancouver today to spend the New Year with their parents, Hon. Mr. Justice and Mrs. W. A. Galliher, St. Charles Street.

### Entertains at Bridge

Mr. and Mrs. T. Grant, 2396 Windsor Road, entertained with four tables of bridge recently in honor of their guests, Dr. and Mrs. Tran of Seattle.

### From Nelson

Mr. W. P. Dickson has arrived from Nelson and is a guest at the Union Club.

### Anniversary Party

Mr. and Mrs. William Harkness, of 11 First Street, recently entertained a large number of friends at Hamiton Hall in honor of their ninth wedding anniversary.

Mr. William Harkness and Mr. J. Cummings delighted the company with a mystifying display of magic, after which supper was served. Mrs. A. Carmichael and Mr. A. Bishop carried out aлизed given for a spot dance. "The Game and the Path," a game for the ladies, was won by Mrs. G. Saul. A three-piece orchestra being in attendance throughout the evening. Mr. Percy Hawes was master of ceremonies.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Firth, Mr. and Mrs. P. Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbert, Mr. and Mrs. J. Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. A. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. O. Saul, Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Manson, Mr. and Mrs. Delhi, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Milliken, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Swanson, and the Misses Greta Carmichael, Ella Burns, Doreen Cook, Phoebe Foote, Phyllis Adams, Margaret Walker, Issa and Margaret Milliken; Messrs. Art Bishop, M. Pickard, Bob Firth, A. Jubb, T. Walsh, Leslie Whittle, Harry Adams, also Mrs. Simmonds and George Simmonds, of Seattle.

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## Between Twelve and One

By VERNON LODER

**CHAPTER XI**  
Clive Merton seemed to throw off his gloom at the day drew on, and did his best not only to comfort Mary Glene, but to encourage the other members of the party to hope that the crash would not be as bad as was anticipated.

"I suppose we're all tied here until the inquest is over," he said at lunch, "but afterwards we shall be free, and some of us may be able to get details of these matters. After all, there is the factory half built, there is this process, for which Demetrius vouches. The fact that Cobham drew away our money in luxurious living does not prove that a great deal of money is necessary to exploit the discovery."

"He said it was," grumbled Corbett.

"And we believed him at the time, I admit. But now we know he raised the money for himself, not the process."

Lord Cramish nodded. "There is some sense in that. If you care to join me later, Merton, I shall interview Demetrius and see if the process could not be developed economically. I have known of cases where a company was broken by reckless expenditure, but, having something of value to exploit, was afterwards put on its feet at no great expense. I presume we should all like to get some of our money back."

"I don't care a hang how, as long as we do," cried Corbett.

"A good idea," said Andrews. "As a solicitor I might join you and take care of the legal side, eh?"

They talked more hopefully then, and after dinner Mary Glene asked Clive if he would come out into the garden with her, as she had something to say to him.

Clive went willingly. He thought she was very brave.

"You make my quite hopeful," she murmured, when they were walking along a path with bright herbaceous borders. "I mean about the company. I know so little of such things, but I see what you mean. Is Mr. Demetrius really such a clever scientist?"

"He has the highest degree, Miss Glene; I do know that."

"There must be something to go on," she said. "I hope so, if only for our father's sake. Only there's one thing—"

She broke off and he looked at her curiously.

"May I hear what it is?"

He nodded, hesitated, and spoke. "The money. You see, even if I do not know much about business, I feel that the company can't start again unless there is some fresh money put into it."

He bit his lip. "I am afraid that is so."

"And we well, we have very little more."

"Humph. But you realize that no attempt will be made to reconstruct the thing unless we are sure that it will pay. We shall be more careful next time."

"I see."

He looked warily. "And if it is sure to pay, then you will give the other money back, or most of it?"

He was telling himself he would have to put down his schooner-yacht in any case. He would save on the professional skipper and crew. A ten-ton cutter would be just as good fun, and he could manage that all right.

Mary Glene sighed. "I suppose so. But don't you see, that we could not afford to put any in now?"

"Of course not," he said; "but that is my point. I would willingly have offered what help I could before, but felt that it would have been—shall we say, tactless. There is another matter. If there is something after all in Demetrius' process, Lord Cramish and I will make very sure of our bounds before we take an interest. If all goes well, however, I am sure your father would not object to my advancing you some capital for the reconstruction—since he would be aware that I would claim it again when the company was on its feet."

"I should have to ask him," she said gratefully. "Of course that is not the same thing. I do see that."

Clive Merton knew all he would like to do for her. It would be something if, on this excuse, he could help her to carry on for a while.

"I am glad you do."

There was a short silence, then Mary spoke softly. "Don't you think Mr. Cobham is a clever man? How quick he was in finding out about those footprints. Ever since lunch Mr. Smith, and Mr. Corbett have been ever so much more cheerful."

Corbett never seemed much put out," he replied. "Mr. Smith, of course, felt in a beastly hole since he visited the library during the night. Colper is about the gloomiest fellow here."

Mary nodded. "I am sure it was someone from outside. There must be other people who disliked Cobham. I don't suppose this was the first time he tried to swindle people."

"He certainly didn't lack practice," said Clive dryly.

"And yet there was that dagger," she said. "I can't explain it away."

"Who can?" said he hastily; "but

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## Victoria Cubs Lose Second Straight to Vancouver Lions 3-2

Mainlanders' Strong Rally in Second Frame Gives Them Victory Over Coast Orphans—Leacock and H. Runge Score for Cubs

VANCOUVER, Dec. 30.—Refreshed by their two-day lay-off Victoria's courageous Cubs showed 1,000 fans at the arena Monday night what they are really capable of when they batted through sixty minutes of torrid hockey to lose to the Lions, three goals to two. Fans, however, keeping the Friday massacre, stayed with their firesides in preference to witnessing another slaughter of the innocents, missed a fast and exciting game. A clean game in which both teams displayed worlds of speed and never a dull moment from start to finish.

Going into the last five minutes with the score 3-3 against them the Lions were cautious to the winds and, with five minutes to go, kept the crowd in an uproar and Percy Jackson in a sweat kicking out pucks. This determined onslaught, while falling short of victory, gained them another goal in the dying minutes, though it was a fluky one. Osmundson shot the puck, and his shot was wide, but it hit the post and rebounded to Paul Runge and glanced into the net.

Skipper Doug Brennan protested, declaring that Runge had kicked the puck into the net, but he was overruled by the referee. The scarlet speedsters continued to buzz around the Vancouver net to the last, but no more goals came their way.

### A SOFT GOAL

The game was scarcely started when Sandy Anderson put a soft one past Robertson. Robertson carried the rubber the length of the ice and shot. Robertson kicked it out to the blue line, and Sandy pounced on it and whipped it back to score just twenty-five seconds from the face-off.

It was Jack Kelly, playing at his best, who engineered the puck to within striking distance for the tying goal. A few yards from the net he whipped it to Leacock, who flashed in the left and snapped it past Jackson. The play from then on was fairly even with end-to-end rushes keeping the excitement high, though the Lions missed a number of nice chances to score. Kelly and Kenny for the Cubs surged into the Detroit zone, but Mickey had to be relieved frequently to save his scarcely recovered "Charley Horse."

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Second period—0, Maroons, Stewart, 2, Maroons, Trottier, 4, Detroit, Goodfellow, 8:20.

Third period—7, Maroons, Northcott, 18:05; 8, Detroit, Goodfellow (Lewis), 19:15.

### LEAFS NOSE OUT CHICAGO HAWKS

DETROIT, Dec. 30.—Outplaying the Detroit Cougars, every department of the game the Maroons took an uninteresting game here last night by the score of 6-2, and went into the lead in the International Division of the N.H.L.

The Maroons' superiority was even greater than the score would indicate. They outshot, outskated, and outpassed the home team, scoring four goals in the first period alone. Still suffering from an inferiority complex induced by two defeats on the road, the Cougars were with an aim and in the final period did they show any adeptness at passing. The line-ups:

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Jockey Grecco Boots Home Rank Outsider in First Race at Agua Caliente to Reward Staggering Price to Few Followers

AGUA CALIENTE, Mexico, Dec. 30.—Dolly Bay, with Jockey Grecco in the saddle, unlucked one of the greatest surprises of year, when he won the opening gallop of the third day's racing at the new \$2,000,000 racing plant here, to reward a faithful few with the staggering price of \$328 for a \$2 nose pasteboard. It was the longest price ever hung up in this vicinity. The mare returned \$47.20 straight and \$18.60 show. The previous high price was \$318, set two years ago by Zennel at the old track.

Benny Grecco's Andromeda closed fast to take the fifth race, which was provided as the feature, over the five and one-half furlong route for all ages. Andromeda was rated back of the leader until seventy yards from the finish, where she closed swiftly to beat the favorite, Politas. Russell was third. Results follow:

Race	Horse	Rider	Time	Prize
1st	Dolly Bay (Grecco)		1:28.00	\$47.20
2nd	Agua Caliente (Higurth)		1:28.00	3.60
3rd	Andromeda (Grecco)		1:28.00	3.60
4th	Politico (McKee)		1:28.00	3.60
5th	Alma (Richardson)		1:28.00	3.60
6th	Tony (Trotter)		1:28.00	3.60
7th	Tommy (Dolan)		1:28.00	3.60
8th	Clyde (Brown)		1:28.00	3.60
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11th	Hawes (Hope)		1:28.00	3.60
12th	Donna (McKee)		1:28.00	3.60
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# DOMINION New Year's Eve' MIDNIGHT FROLIC

Starting at 11:00 P.M.  
(After the Regular Show)

## An Entirely New Show!

AND HERE'S THE PROGRAMME

### Charlie Chase

In the All-Talking Comedy

### "SNAPPY SNEEZER"

Rudy Vallee || Jack White  
And His Orchestra || And His Montrealers

### "GIRL CRAZY," a Laugh Specialty

Paramount Song Novelties  
Presenting Popular Song Numbers—Follow the "Bouncing Ball" and Sing the New Year In

AND—ON THE STAGE!

### A Snappy Song and Dance Revue

Tickets Now on Sale at the Box Office  
General Admission, 50c  
Loges, 75c

### FREE SOUVENIRS FOR ALL!

Playhouse

MIDNIGHT FROLIC

Big Time for Everybody

Vaudeville Specialties, Songs, Dances, Streamers, Squakers, Community Singing, Favor for Everyone.

Also the Funniest Act Ever on a Stage in

### A Novelty Contest

Anyone Can Take Part  
LARGE CASH PRIZE  
Laugh the New Year In

50¢—Tickets at Box Office—50¢  
Starts 11:15 P.M.

PLAYHOUSE

## Old English Yuletide Festival

Under the Distinguished Patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor

LAST CONCERT TOMORROW, MONDAY  
In the Ballroom, Empress Hotel, at 8:30 o'clock

The B.C. MORRIS DANCERS

Eighteen expert performers of the lovely old figure dances revived by the Fair Folk Dancers Society now the favorite recreation of 200,000 adults of all classes in the Old Country. These Dancers have been trained and are directed by Mrs. L. E. Farrel, an associate of Cecil Sharp, and will demonstrate the following:

Helson Furry Professional—Flamboy Sward Dance—Blue Eyed Stranger (Morris)—Jockey to the Fair (Jig)—Mage on a Cree and the Old Mole (Country Dances).

INDIAN NATIVITY PLAY

Written by Captain Alexander Ramsay. Music by Healey Willan.

"SNOWED IN"

A Dickensian Fantasy

By NAPIER MOORE, Editor of MacLean's Magazine

Introducing some of the immortal characters of England's great novelist and also the traditional mummery of St. George and the Turkish Knight as revealed in the Miller's Play, a village drama. Produced by Alfred Heather

Tickets—Reserved Seats, \$1.10 (Including Tax)

Unreserved Seats, 55¢ (Including Tax)

On sale at the Empress Hotel, Fletcher Bros. and the B.C. Dramatic School. Local Secretary, J. Bullock-Webster, Phone 620 and 4301R

SUNDAY CONCERT OF SACRED MUSIC TONIGHT AS USUAL  
9 o'clock—Entrance Free

Canadian Pacific

PROSAIC

KEEPING IT RIGHT

Romantic Girl (at the seaside)—When I come out on to the front after dinner and gaze at the moon—it's sea I feel too full for words!

Practical Youth—H'm! You would not feel like that if you stayed at our boarding house.

"Isn't it difficult to keep your household budget straight?" asked Mrs. Milford.

"My dear, it's terrible," confided Mrs. Milford. "This month I had to put in four mistakes to make mine balance correctly."

## At The Playhouses

### CLARA BOW HAS NOVEL VEHICLE

Story of Department Store Romance Is Told in Capitol Offering

"The Saturday Night Kid" is what a kid came to the Capitol yesterday for what may prove to be a long stay, accompanied by much jangling of coins at the box office till.

"The Saturday Night Kid" is Clara Bow's latest all-talking picture. It is fast and away the best vehicle provided for the versatile girl with the red hair and the quick complement of what Elmer Glyn calls "it."

In this excellent play, written by John V. A. Weaver and George Abbott, Miss Bow is an ambitious, peppy young salesgirl in Ginsberg's department store. She falls for the handsome young fellow with the blue eyes, Jean Arthur, decides to make a play for the much-desired Miss Bow, as we would expect, runs away with the picture. She is all over the place with her zip-bang knockout manners and her contrasting moments of serene blandish-

### RALLY SCENE BRINGS FIREMEN

To This Is College! Is Presented at Dominion Today, Depicting Bonfire Feature

Apprehensive Culver Cityholders, aroused from slumbers by the crack of dawn, were looking high into the sky, ruined a perfectly good scene for Sam Wood's big Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer talking picture, "So This Is College," now playing at the Dominion Theatre. About midnight, when all the microphones and cameras had been finally placed and adjusted, the fire club and roofing teams rehearsed, he gave the signal for the interlocking system and the huge bonfire was taken off.

All citizens sent frantic calls to the fire department, and the Culver City fire laddies turned out with the usual clatter of bells and sirens. As the sound of the fire apparatus drew closer and closer, the sensitive microphones picked up until it drowned out the collegiate song.

The firemen realized the "false alarm" as soon as they pulled up to the "movie" lot but the damage was done and the bonfire blazed merrily and quite beyond control for retakes that very night.

COLUMBIA Stirring scenes of THEATRE Ranger at work in the romantic Kentucky hills will be seen at the Columbia Theatre this evening in "Fangs of the Wild," current PBO attraction. Ranger has been a ranger and dog personity into the hearts of hundreds for the past two days and has had one of the most successful runs a dog picture has ever had at the Columbia Theatre.

PLAYHOUSE Differing from the majority of screen players, Sue Carol, who plays the leading feminine role in Glenn Tryon's latest Universal starring comedy, "It Can Be Done," now playing at the Playhouse Theatre, did not enter the screen world via the "extra" route. From Hollywood on a visit from her home in Chicago when a director pressed upon her to come around to the studio and take a screen test. The results were so satisfactory that she was immediately signed for part in a forthcoming production.

FROLIC TIMED FOR MIDNIGHT

Good-By to 1929 Will Be Observed at Playhouse With Plenty of Fun

So that everybody may have a good time next year, the old year and ushering in the new, the Playhouse is presenting a grand frolie commencing at 11:15 and midnight.

A special programme consisting of community singing, novelty cash winning contests for old and young, male and female dancing, vaudeville specialties, and a dozen and one other ideas are being worked out.

The programme, there will be no lack of aquatics, etc., and Harry C. Willis, as the genial host, will personally see to it that every individual is made happy.

They will present "Arms and the Man" for one performance only on Monday, January 6.

Artillery Band

Presents Second

Sunday Concert

The Fifth (B.C.) Coast Brigade Canadian Artillery gave the second set of concerts at the Coliseum Theatre last night. In spite of the rainy weather a fair crowd attended, and the band a favorable reception. The assisting artist was Miss Marie North, whose solos were loudly applauded.

Sunday the band will give a programme of Scottish music which will be augmented by Pipe Major Cameron, and other popular soloists. The feature of this programme will be a grand selection of Robbie Burns' songs.

TACTFUL

"It strikes me," said a young man, his Irish valet, "that one of us was drunk last night."

"It strikes me that was so, sir."

"Well, you rascal, and which of us was it?"

"Well, sir, far be it from me to cast reflections, but I must say I cast reflections."

RALEIGH POINTS OF BIDDING

Along South, the bidding with one Spade, West passed as his bids are insufficient to justify a defensive bid. North, with but three small Spades and better than an original Heart bid, took out with two Hearts, concluding the bidding.

Contract: At Contract, as at Auction, South opened the bidding with a Spade. It should be noted that the probable trick value of South's hand with Spades as trump is slightly in excess of those required for an original two bid. He also holds the minimum. Quick Tricks required for such bid, namely, at least three and a half Quick Tricks; therefore some explana-

## IMPROVED CAR BODIES APPEAR

### FORD DEALERS OFFER MODEL OF INCREASED BEAUTY DESIGN

Substantial Improvements Have Been Made to Famous Model "A"

New Ford bodies are making their appearance for the first time today in dealers' showrooms in practically every city of Canada, according to an official statement by the Ford Motor Company of Canada, Limited, at Windsor.

Embellishment of body lines constitutes the chief advance over the Model "A" as introduced two years ago. Changes that have been made tend wholly toward increased beauty in the car of low-pricing. The Ford Motor Company of Canada authorizes the statement that, mechanically, the Ford retains the same chassis and engine as were adopted when the Model "A" appeared with such improvements as have been built in from time to time since its introduction.

The new lines of the Ford will be most quickly apparent in a deeper and narrowed radiator, a higher hood line, a more compact and玲珑的 body with a cowl that is planned consistent with the other lines of the new front.

The improvement brought about by increased radiator and hood changes carries through the rest of the body by use of moulding that flows from radiator back to curving decks and graceful backs with the stream-line effects of custom-built bodies.

### NEW DESIGN IN FENDERS

Fenders of new design add to the ensemble effect of trim features. The new Ford fenders will be found to be smartly different with increased width, a higher crown and particularly with curves which flow more naturally over wheels while blending with the sweep of the body as a whole. Fenders flare up from the front to the rear, forming a pleasing line to a higher elevation towards the rear. Rear fenders also, high-crowned and sitting over the wheel in lines that reflect their curves, sweep down gracefully to a point two inches lower than previously.

One of the most radical changes is found in the new nineteen-inch wheel, a reduction of two inches from the dimensions of the earlier wheel. This change, when coupled with larger tires, brings the car into the ground, thereby attaining even greater tenacity in the adherence of the car to the road, and permitting of increased riding comfort and safety.

### AMPLE HEAD ROOM

While an effect of new length and lowness results from the lowering of roof lines, there is no accomplishment of head room inside. The interior reflects improvements as much as the exterior. Throughout the line, greater leg room and riding space have been achieved. Adjustable seats have been added to permit increased ease of riding, entrance and exit.

Another of the sterling innovations is found in the new Ford bodies is the use of rustless steel for all exposed metal work.

Eodies will be available in a variety of new colors. Among those on the cars to be seen are Richelieu brown, Mandarla green and Thorne brown.

Holiday maker (leaving crowded boardings)—I admit I don't object to sleeping in the breakfast room if you're going a little too far when you charge me extra for breakfast in my bedroom.

TONIGHT!

The

Toby Leitch

Players

Open at the

LAST STRAW

Holiday maker (leaving crowded

boardings)—I admit I don't

object to sleeping in the break-

fast room if you're going a

little too far when you charge me

extra for breakfast in my bedroom.

TONIGHT!

The

BABIES

A Rolliekins Side-Splitting Comedy

In Three Acts At 8 P.M. Ticket Office Open 7:15. Doors 7:30.

GALA MIDNIGHT MATINEE!

Fun and Frolic Galore! Don't Miss It: An All-Star Performance

At 11 P.M.

PRICES

Same for Rehearsal Show and for the Matinee

35c - Children 10c

TONIGHT!

The

MAURICE COLOUBRE

and BARRY JONES

present

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ONE NIGHT ONLY

MON., JAN. 6, 8:30

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MAURICE COLOUBRE

COMPANY

With a Brilliant London Cast

in the Comedies of

BERNARD SHAW

"ARMS AND THE MAN"

PRICES: Lower Floor, \$1.10; Stalls, \$1.00; Mezz., \$1.00.

Prices include Tax. Mail Orders Now. Box Office Open Friday, January 4.

The Proper Way to Charge a Taxi Fare Is by the Meter

The Safety Cab Co.

Operates the Only Metered Service in Victoria

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## Dr. RAYMOND!

### MIND-READING! HYPNOTISM!? MAGIC!? OCCULT SCIENCE!

Bring our Questions! He Will Answer Them!

Doors Open Picture, 1st Time at... 6:15  
Dr. Raymond at... 6:30  
Picture Again at... 8:00  
9:00



REMEMBER LAST NEW YEAR'S PICTURES, MUSIC, DANCERS

# New Ford Bodies on Display Today for First Time

*New*  
**RUSTLESS STEEL**

*New*  
**STREAMLINES**

*New*  
**ROOMY BODIES**

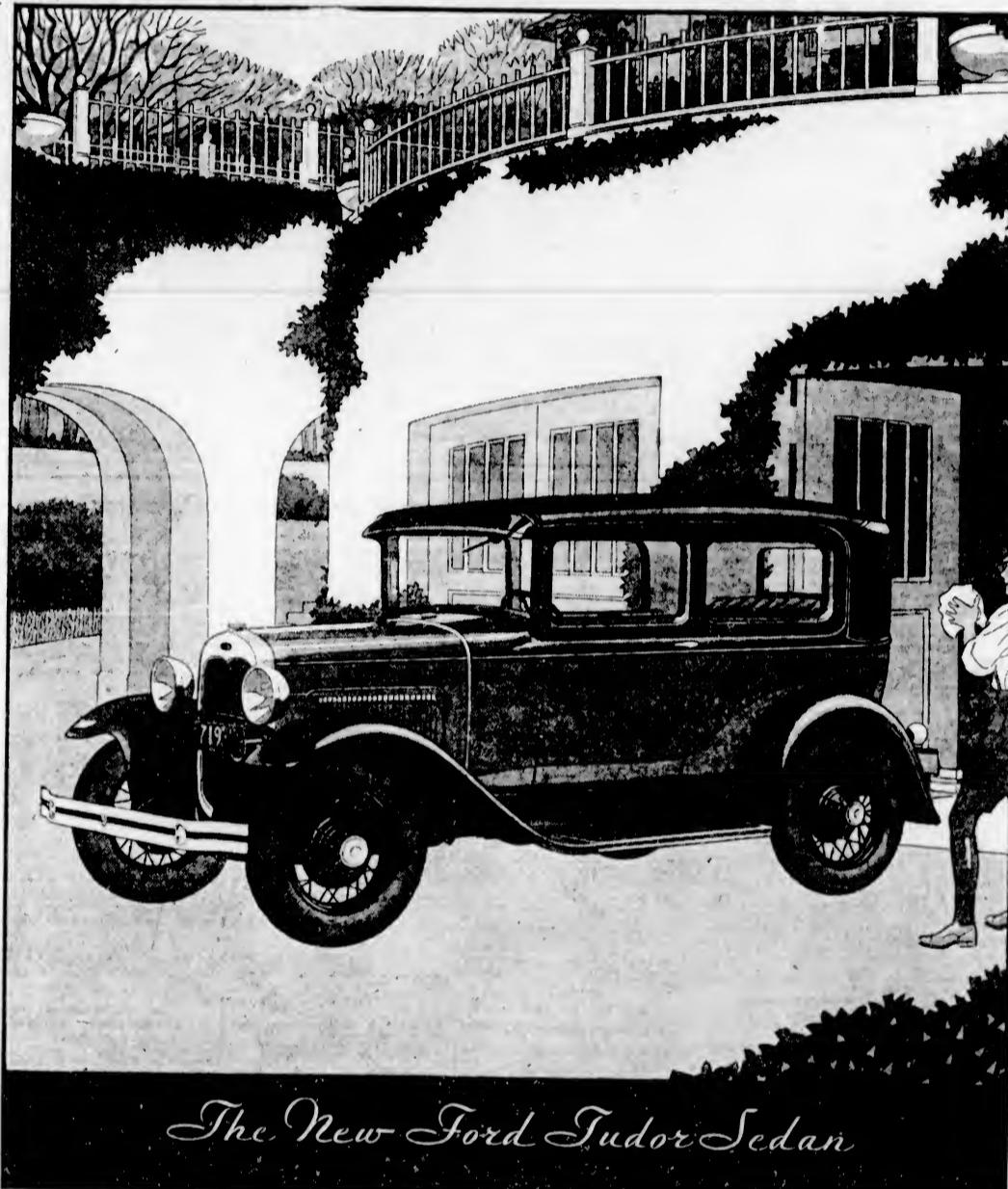
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**LARGER FENDERS**

*New*  
**DEEPER RADIATOR**

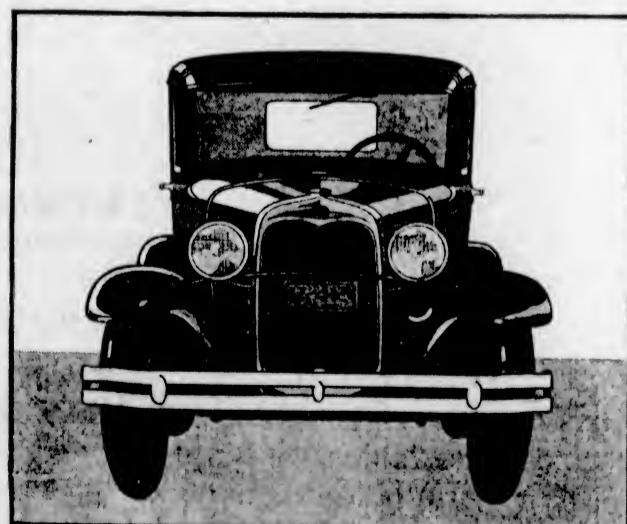
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**SMALLER WHEELS**

*New*  
**LARGER TIRES**

*New*  
**COLORS**



*The New Ford Tudor Sedan*



TODAY marks another great forward step in the history of the Ford car. For today the new Ford bodies will be officially introduced and a new beauty brought within reach of every one.

Take a little while today, therefore, to visit the showrooms of the nearest Ford dealer and see these beautiful new Ford bodies. Note the new roomy interiors, the new deeper radiator, the new hood and cowl, the new fenders, the new streamlines, the new wheels and tires, the Rustless Steel used for exposed metal parts—everything that contributes to this new beauty for the new Ford.

To outstanding mechanical performance, the new Ford now adds a new grace of line and contour. To motorists everywhere these new bodies are a further reflection of the Ford policy of constantly improving the car and of giving value far above the price . . . \$540 up—f.o.b. East Windsor, Ontario. Taxes extra. Ford Motor Company of Canada, Limited.



## Lumber Shipped From Here In 1929 Shows Huge Total Of 68,402,450 Board Feet

During 1929 Victoria shipped 68,402,450 feet of lumber to Eastern Canada, United States, Australia, New South Wales, China, Japan, West India, England, South Africa and Egypt.

The 108 calls made by ships at Rithet piers, Ogden Point docks and the C.P.S. mills, with departure date and number of board feet of lumber loaded, follow:

Oakworth, 750,000 feet, January 4; Superto, 450,000, January 7; Glenbeatt, 620,000, January 8; Tohse Maru, 600,000, January 9; Pemmar, 570,000, January 17; Glenbeatt, 350,000, January 19; Quintau, 200,000, January 21; Canadian Ranger, 1,000,000, January 31; Shunsho Maru, 1,230,000, February 6; Canadian Farmer, 200,000, February 8; Massmar, 600,000, February 15; Quinault, 230,000, February 18; Yomei Maru, 680,000, March 4; Stanway, 310,000, March 6; Quinault, 425,000, March 15; Quintau, 1,000,000, March 17; Willabrook, 1,250,000, March 19; Bronnay, 850,000, March 26; Canadian Rover, 900,000, March 28; Canadian Seigneur, 250,000, March 27; Canadian Seigneur, 1,000,000, April 8; Stensby, 600,000, April 16; Sheafmed, 800,000, April 15; Woyo Maru, 700,000, April 19; Melvo Maru, 615,000, April 20; Sandoval, 600,000, April 21; Orient City, 900,000, September 28; Orient City, 900,000, September 28; Norfolk Maru, 1,030,000, October 2; Tokwa Maru, 500,000, October 6; Leeds City, 1,200,000, October 8; Tacoma, 1,400,000, October 9; Quinault, 300,000, October 11; Jefferson Myers, 600,000, October 16; Cape of Good Hope, 1,200,000, October 18; Southern Cross, 900,000, October 19; Algonquin, 250,000, October 19; Jane Christensen, 350,000, November 1; Solano, 125,000, November 5; Willapa, 300,000, November 7; Bronnay, 1,250,000, November 12; Pacific Commerce, 800,000, November 16; Modavia, 500,000, November 18; Hokoh Maru, 500,000, November 18; San Bernardino, 500,000, November 18; Pacific Shipped, 20,000, November 20; Sandoval, 50,000, November 28; Quinault, 300,000, November 28; Asakura, 1,100,000, December 4; Shunsho Maru, 1,300,000, December 17; Clyde Maru, 1,100,000, December 20; Woyo Maru, 1,012,000, December 21; Orient City, 1,600,000, December 26; Quinault, 385,000, December 27; Kaimy Maru, 890,000, December 28; Mundeita, 750,000, December 28; and Slemmestad, 400,000 feet, December 31.

The regular air mail service between New York and the Pacific Coast enabled New York banks to save three days' interest on city items seventy-five out of seventy-six days and seventy-one times on currency items during the quarter ending October 1, a check made by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.

Captain C. D. Neroutos, manager of the B.C. Coast Steamship Service, was up-island yesterday in connection with inspection of wharves at Nanaimo and Nanoose Bay.

**GULF ISLANDS SERVICE**  
Effective December 2, 1929, the service will be: From Victoria, 7:15 a.m. Monday, to Ganges via the Gulf Islands; From Ganges, 7 a.m. to Victoria; to Victoria via the Islands; From Victoria, 7:35 a.m. Wednesday, to Ganges, returning same day. From Victoria, 7:15 a.m. Tuesday, to Ganges via the Gulf Islands. From Ganges, 7 a.m. Friday, to Vancouver via the Gulf Islands; From Vancouver, 7:15 a.m. Saturday, to Victoria via the Gulf Islands. The So. Pacific Royal will leave Victoria, 11 a.m. Tuesday, to Vancouver via the Gulf Islands.

**Coastal Sealings Out of B.C. Ports**  
**FOR VANCOUVER**  
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 2 p.m. and 11:45 p.m.

**FROM VANCOUVER**  
C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m. and 3 p.m.

**FOR SEATTLE**  
P.N. steamer arrives daily at 10:30 a.m. C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 10:30 a.m.

**FROM SEATTLE**  
P.N. steamer arrives daily at 1:15 p.m.

**ARRIVED**  
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 30—Arrived Pan American Airlines: Labor, Los Angeles; Kailash, San Francisco; Baled Point, New York; Admire Seires, Dorothy Wintrum, San Pedro; Robert Luckenbach, Ouras, Atlantic City; Gleason Netheror, Rosedale; Mexican, Tacoma; Leikane, Buenos Aires; San Antonio; Philadelphia, W. O. Gleason; Admire Seires, San Pedro; Charles H. Cramp, Chetco, New York; Lubricos San Francisco.

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**ARRIVED**  
VICTORIA PORT ANGELES  
P.N. steamer leaves Victoria daily at 10:30 a.m. Leaves Port Angeles daily at 10:30 a.m.

**VICTORIA-PORT FRANCIS**  
Union Steamships leave Vancouver 8 a.m., Tuesdays, for Rivers Inlet, Bella Coola, Skeena River and Prince Rupert. Leave Victoria 8 a.m. Tuesdays for Prince Rupert, Nass River, Anan and Skeena.

Canadian National Steamships have twice weekly for Powell River, Ocean Falls, Prince Rupert, Stewart and Anan. Make extra trip Saturday leaving Nanaimo at 8:30 p.m.

**ARRIVED**  
VICTORIA FORT ANGELES  
P.N. steamer Iroquois leaves daily at 10:30 a.m. Leaves Port Angeles daily at 10:30 a.m.

**VANCOUVER-OCEAN FALLS-PRINCE RUPERT**  
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**ARRIVED**  
VICTORIA-QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
Canadian National Steamships scheduled to leave Vancouver 8 a.m. every second Sunday.

**ARRIVED**  
VICTORIA-ROCK RIVER AND COMOX  
C.P.R. steamer Princess Royal sails from Vancouver midnight on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

**SEAPLANE SERVICE**  
Leaves Victoria for Vancouver, 11:30 a.m. Leaves Victoria for Seattle, 11:45 a.m. Leaves Victoria for Seattle, 11:45 a.m.

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VICTORIA-QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS  
Canadian National Steamships scheduled to leave Vancouver 8 a.m. every second Sunday.

**WEATHER REPORT**  
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## Notable People in Every Walk of Life Visit Here

Statesmen, Musicians, Artists, Educationists, Churchmen, Are All Represented in Galaxy of Fame Among Visitors of 1929

Victoria has been visited by a large number of prominent people during the year 1929. The National Council of Education meeting in April, the various conventions, the important conferences last Fall in Japan, the opening of the Canadian Church Cathedral and the like, and many great gatherings of an international character in Europe have been responsible for the presence in Victoria of many notable persons conspicuous in every walk of life.

It has been necessary to omit the prominent British Columbia people from this list of novelty, and on this account the reception to Col. M. Blair, King's Prize sprinter, and Percy Williams, Olympic swimmer, do not appear, both of which events brought great fame to the province.

It will be observed that Victoria has been favored by an unusually large number of national figures in Canadian national life, and of civil servants of prominence at Ottawa. Accompanying is the list of some 430 persons who have visited the city during the year:

Rev. W. R. Adams, September 28.

Henry Adaski, violinist, January 26.

Sir John Aird, chairman of Radio Commission, April 16 and October 3.

Earl of Airie, June 1.

Bishop W. N. Ainsworth, Macoun, Ga., Methodist Episcopal Church South, November 18.

Basil C. Allen, authority on India, May 15.

Sir J. Sandeman Allen, president Royal Empire Society, September 23.

W. W. Allen, president of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, October 3.

Professor Warren D. Allen, organist, April 15.

Rafael P. Alman, Secretary for Agriculture, Philippines, April 8.

Rev. C. F. Andrews, missionary in India, April 4.

Rev. G. A. Anglin, Chief Justice of Canada, July 24.

H. W. Anderson, editor Toronto Globe, August 13.

Captain Maxwell Anderson, Chief Justice of Fiji, August 21.

Lady Clara Annesley, public service, December 7.

Dr. E. S. Archibald, director of experimental stations, February 12.

Miss Joan Arnold, I.O.D.E., May 24.

Rev. J. R. Arup, secretary Board of Foreign Missions, United Church, September 12.

Major-General E. C. Ashton, Quartermaster-General, September 26.

Henry Atkinson, superintendent of Industrial School, Portage La Prairie, April 5.

J. L. M. G. Avenol, deputy secretary League of Nations, April 6.

H. Bailey, manufacturing director in China of B.A. Tobacco Company, October 3.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. E. Bailey, Tibet explorer, June 25.

Hon. Perrin Baker, Minister of Education, Alberta, April 4.

Sir Charles Ballance, eminent Australian surgeon, December 5.

Sir Harvey Barthurston Bart., January 9.

Hon. T. R. Bavin, Premier of New South Wales, July 24.

Commander C. T. Beard, chief of staff of R.C.N. Service.

E. W. Beatty, K.C., president Canadian Pacific Railway, September 18.

John Bellis, British manufacturer, September 27.

Dr. Bennett, noted horticulturist, January 28.

Hon. R. B. Bennett, K.C., Federal Conservative leader, July 31.

E. W. Bigelow, former Eagles State president, December 18.

Colonel J. L. Biggar, National Commissioner of Red Cross, September 7.

Paul Bilkey, editor of Montreal Gazette, August 12.

Colonel Gerald Birks, Montreal, October 3.

W. M. Birks, Montreal, October 3.

W. A. Black, Halifax, September 18.

Colonel W. F. Blaker, Commissioner Shanghai Defence Force, May 18.

Milton Blackstone, musician, January 26.

Dr. W. Blatz, Professor of Psychology, Toronto, September 24.

Commander Evangeline Booth, October 19.

Sir Robert Boothby, September 15.

W. J. Boulton, Engineer of Natural Resources Department of Interior, April 12.

G. A. Bowman, Radio Commissioner, April 16.

Hon. John Bracken, Premier of Manitoba, July 24.

E. Branscombe, Westminster Singers, May 2.

Arthur Brisbane, columnist, August 4.

Bishop Brewing, Reformed Episcopal Church, January 29 and July 18.

Chief Justice J. T. Brown, Saskatchewan Grain Commissioner, April 29.

Major-General H. T. P. Browne, April 25.

Hon. J. E. Brownlee, Premier of Alberta.

A. E. Bryan, chairman board of directors, C.M. & St. P. Railway, November 2.

Dr. Bryan, noted New York stock broker.

Jacques Brugnon, French tennis star, October 3.

Hon. Senator W. A. Buchanan, November 14.

C. H. Burford, general manager of Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, September 19.

Dr. L. J. Burpee, historian, secretary International Joint Commission, October 17 and December 2.

Rear Admiral Gordon Campbell, May 8.

J. A. Campbell, Director of Publicity, National Parks Branch, Department of Interior, February 2.

Dr. Charles Campbell, Deputy Minister of Interior, January 22.

Gen. de Kress, violinist, January 26.

Rev. A. D. Dewney, Bishop of Keeewatin, September 28.

Dr. E. M. Cross, Bishop of Demers, Dominion Wreck Commissioners, December 3.

Colonel Curtis, publicist, October 3.

Mrs. Marguerite d'Angelo, traveller.

Sir Alfred Davies, May 23.

Dwight F. Davis, ex-Secretary of War, United States, Governor of Philippines, June 15.

Geza de Kress, violinist, January 26.

Rev. A. J. Doull, Bishop of Kootenay, September 28.

Dr. E. M. Farnham, Bishop of Demers, Dominion Wreck Commissioners, December 3.

Mrs. Nada d'Namur, traveler.

James B. Dale, pineapple king, of Hawaii, September 13.

J. Harold Dollar, shipping, June 17.

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Lady Dummond Hay, Zeppelin Flight, July 15.

Sir Arthur Duckham, British industrial leader, February 28.

Marchese Dusseti, of Rome, July 30.

Congressman L. C. Dyer, of Missouri, October 7.

Lady Catherine Chapman, May 1.

Dr. C. Y. Cheng, Moderator United Church of Canada in China.

Evelyn Chown, general secretary of Underwriters Association of Canada, March 15.

Henry Chsworth, editor Toronto Saturday Night, August 20.

Sir William Clark, British High Commissioner to Canada, April 27.

Rev. Dr. Cleary, Bishop of Auckland, N.Z., January 10.

"Ty" Cobb, baseball star, August.

Henri Cochet, French tennis star, October 3.

Colonel Henry Cockshutt, financier, April 14.

Rev. Dr. R. O. Cochrane, United Church of Canada, October 22.

D. C. Coleman, vice-president Western Lines, C.P.R., July 6, September 16, November 12.

Professor Winifred C. Collis, British educationist, April 5.

Sir Charles Coombe, eminent Australian surgeon, December 5.

# FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

**Selling for Tax Purposes Was Main Feature of Trade On N.Y. Change on Monday**

**NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—**Selling for tax purposes was unexpectedly small in today's session of the stock market—the last session in which regular transactions may be made for that purpose—and shorts were prompted to cover their commitments. Under bidding for lending shares in the last hour of the session dozens up to 10 points. Trading was swelled to the largest volume in ten days, transfers totaling 1,159,800 shares.

Tax selling was widely in evidence, however, and closing prices were highly irregular.

On the whole, the session represented little more than the shifting of balances in preparation for the turn of the year.

Credit conditions remained firm, but rates held steady, with call money unchanged at 6 per cent, although funds were placed in the outside market at 6 1/2. About \$40,000,000 was called.

Fox Film "A" was again under pressure, sagging to a new low at 19 1/8, closing 21 off.

Leading foreign exchanges sagged, reflecting completion of the year-end transfers, but business was quiet pending the turn of the year.

Sterling was an exception to the trend, being quoted a shade higher. Attention was focused upon a decline of about 1 1/8 cent in French franc

coupons.

## FOREIGN POWER SECURITIES CORPORATION Limited

**Common Stock Dividend No. 1**  
An interim dividend of One Dollar (\$1.00) per share on the No Par Value COMMON STOCKS of FOREIGN POWER & LIGHTING CORPORATION, LIMITED, January 20, 1930, to Shareholders of record December 31, 1929.

By Order of the Board  
L. C. HASKELL,  
Secretary.

Montreal, Dec. 20th, 1929.

Montreal, Dec. 2







## CNRV FEATURES NEW YEAR'S EVE

MESSAGE FROM SIR HENRY THORNTON OVER NETWORK TONIGHT

Allen Burt and Marguerite Nutall to Sing—W. D. Robb Speaks in French

The sixth anniversary programme of the Radio Department, Canadian National Railways, will be broadcast on New Year's Eve. At 6 o'clock, Pacific standard time, a special French programme will go on the air over the Eastern group of stations, and at 7 o'clock the entire coast-to-coast network will be linked up.

Address from Sir Henry Thornton, K.B.E., chairman and president of the Canadian National Railways, and Mr. W. D. Robb, vice-president, will go out to the entire Dominion. Two outstanding Canadian artists, Marguerite Nutall, soprano, and Allen Burt, baritone, of Toronto, will be soloists.

A few minutes before 9 o'clock, control will be switched to Ottawa, the dying moments of the passing year in Ottawa will be marked by the playing of the Last Post, the clock in the Victory Tower will chime the toll midnight, the new year will be announced with the reveille, and the festivities at the Chateau Laurier will go on the network.

Miss Nutall, one of Canada's finest young sopranos, is a "find" of the Canadian National Railways. She scored a triumph on the "All-Canadian" programme on December 1, and a brilliant future is forecast for her in both radio and on the stage, for she combines a charming presence with a beautiful voice, ideal for broadcasting.

Allen Burt, with an experience ranging from surveying, mining and working in the mills of Northern Ontario, has been a radio artist finally starring with the American Opera Company, has studied in the leading musical centres of Europe and America. His natural ability, pure tones and impeccable diction mark him outstanding, but to this we may add his creative powers beyond the ordinary for he has seen and lived the unusual.

A concert orchestra will round out the programme, playing a varied group of numbers on which Weber, German and Sullivan are represented. Two movements from the Stockholm Symphony will be played, and special orchestral arrangements in keeping with the occasion.

## BROADCAST FROM ENGLAND FAILURE

Most of British Broadcasting Corporation Blown over—Arrangements for King's Made

While Victoria waited expectantly Sunday for an international Sabbath broadcast from Canterbury Cathedral, England, a cabled bulletin from London revealed a storm had blown over the British Broadcasting Corporation's radio mast at Chelmsford. The programme was called off.

This city was to have heard it at noon over KOMO.

If repairs can be made in time, an attempt will be made this afternoon to relay to the United States the chimes of "Big Ben" in the Westminster Tower of the House of Commons. "Big Ben" will sound Greenwich standard time at approximately 2:30 o'clock, Victoria time.

The day of January 31 the National Broadcasters Council will pick up and broadcast through its American net the address of King George when he opens the five-power naval parley in London.

Annes Skinner had never done any real work; instead, he had tried to invent something that would bring him a fortune.

Meeting an old friend, he rushed up to him, greatly excited.

"We've got it at last!" he shrieked.

"What's it?" asked his friend.

"What is it this time?" asked his friend.

"Just a little device," said Skinner. "But it will bring in millions. Every church in the country will buy one. It's a collecting box with different slots for different coins. All silver money drops on velvet, while copper drops on a big bell."



NOTICE

PRIVATE BILLS

Notice is hereby given that the time limited by the Rule of the House for Private Bills will expire on Thursday, December 27, 1929. That all Private Bills must be presented to the House on Tuesday, December 29, 1929, before 12 m.p.m. Select Committees on Private Bills must be received on or before Wednesday, December 30, 1929.

W. H. LANGLEY,

Clerk, Legislative Assembly.

WELLINGTON COLLIER RAILWAY CO.

Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Wellington Colliery Railway Company, will be held in the office of the Canadian Colliery Commissioners, 1005 Government Street, Nanaimo, B.C., on Monday, the sixth day of January, 1930, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The purpose of the directors of said company for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business, will be reported. The financial position of the undertaking of the railway company, that may be dealt with at the annual general meeting, will be presented.

Dated at Nanaimo, B.C., this 12th day of December, 1929.

PATRICK S. WADAN,

Secretary,

Wellington Colliery Railway Company

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## Radio Programmes

By Courtesy of Radio Delco

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (930 a.m. to 6 p.m.)—The morning market trends from the stock room, 6 p.m. the closing market, 8 p.m. the news, 9 p.m. to 12 a.m. Sunsets Trio offers the following hour of music as the late sunset programme for the winter. Overture—"Prairie Queen" (Hupfel); a collection of gavots from the "Caprice Suite"; "The Adagio"; "L'Amour Defendu" (Prause); "Andalousie"; "Gavotte"; "Gavotte"; "Delirious"; "Ex-Sister"; "Gavotte"; "7-15"; "Whale Dine"; and last night production men believed the figure for the second day would be somewhat greater as the gas appeared to be getting better. This well was drilled and brought in with cable tools and is located on a twenty-acre lease from McDougall and Sons.

BRIT. DOMINION NO. 2 IS COMMERCIAL WELL

Shows Good Yield on Production Test Without Further Deepening in Lime

(McLaren, Ross & Co. Ltd.)

British Dominion No. 2 appears to be a commercial well without further deepening into the lime. In a twenty-four-hour production test, which ended on Sunday, the yield was 1,000 cubic feet per minute.

Castrol No. 1 was still waiting the arrival of fishing tools last night to clean the hole of about 500 feet of drill rod twisted off several days ago. No. 2 was reaming and circulating.

A.P. Consolidated No. 1 was preparing to run 825-inch casing to 5,121 feet last night. This well has an open hole than any in the field and the casing will protect against caving.

Dalhousie No. 7 was fishing for cable lost in the hole when the derrick burned down several days ago, according to word from the field on Sunday. Little difficulty is expected in getting the well in shape to resume drilling.

K.Y.A. Vancouver, B.C. (930 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.)—Marguerite Nutall, soprano, and Allen Burt, baritone, in artistry, Overture, "Jubilé" (Weber), orchestra; songs (a) "Sea Fever" (John Ireland), (b) "I Wonder If This Ice Is Thick Enough? Will Send Irony Out First"; (c) "The Old Folks at Home"; (d) "L'Amour Defendu" (Prause); "Andalousie"; "Gavotte"; "7-15"; "Whale Dine"; and last night production men believed the figure for the second day would be somewhat greater as the gas appeared to be getting better. This well was drilled and brought in with cable tools and is located on a twenty-acre lease from McDougall and Sons.

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## THAT CERTAIN PARTY



By Jack Wilhelm

## POLLY AND HER PALS



## A Friend in Need

By Cliff Sterrett

## TILLIE THE TOILER



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## S'MATTER POP

## Ambrose Kills a Bird With Eggs

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## What a Test That Turned Out to Be!

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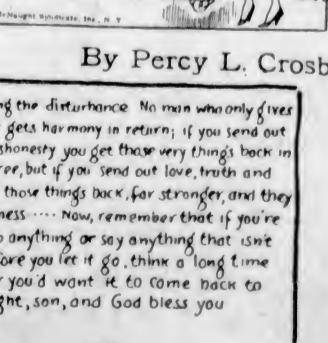
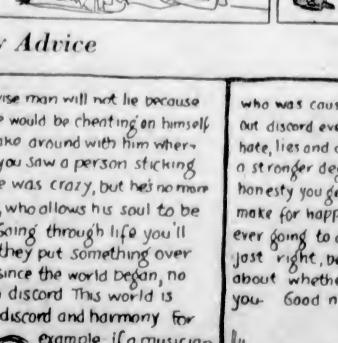
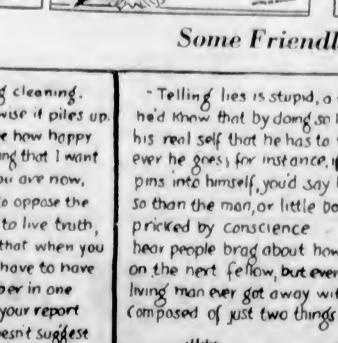
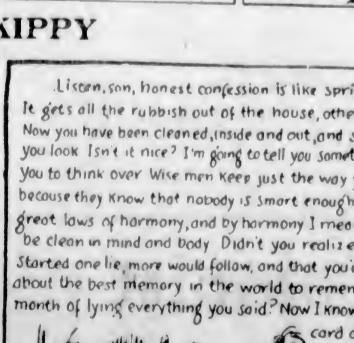
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## Some Friendly Advice

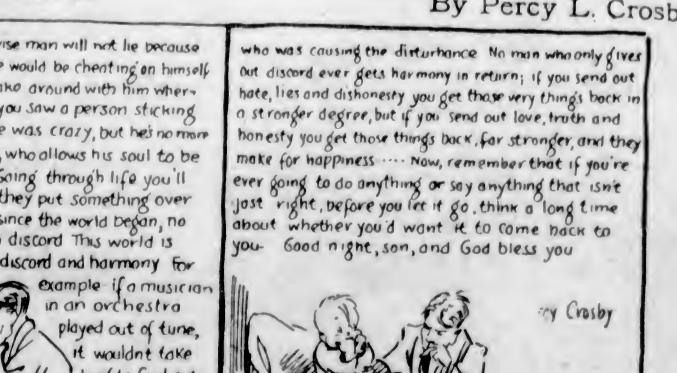
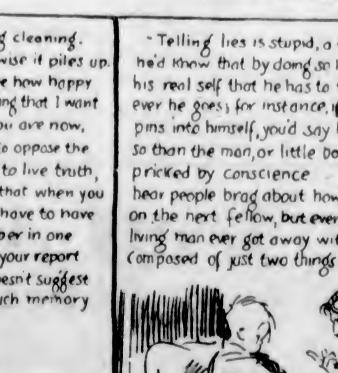
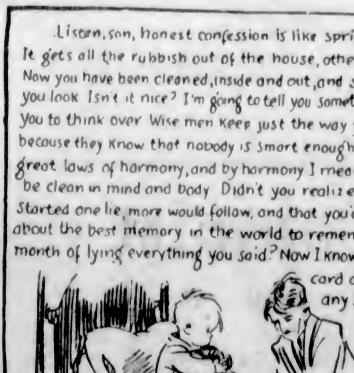
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who was causing the disturbance. No man who only gives out discord ever gets harmony in return; if you send out hate, lies and dishonesty you get those very things back in a stronger degree, but if you send out love, truth and honesty you get those things back, far stronger, and they make for happiness. Now, remember that if you're ever going to do anything or say anything that isn't just right, before you let it go, think a long time about whether you want it to come back to you. Good night, son, and God bless you.



## SKIPPY



For nearly an hour the talkative man had bored his fellow-passengers in the railway carriage with accounts of his dog Tower. "Sir," said the old gentleman who had been vainly trying to snatch forty winks, "suppose you took Tower into a shop and bought him a muzzle and then asked the shop assistant to put it on for you, and he refused, what would you do?" "Why," said the talkative one, "I'd put it on myself."

"Quite so," was the reply. "And I think all here will agree with me that the result would be excellent."

Scarves with a hole in the middle for the head to be slipped through are being worn in Paris

## KRAZY KAT



YOU WILL DROP IT



AND JUST BEFORE YOU'D BEEN TREED BY THE BEAR, YOU'D TOLD HER WHAT A LOT OF DEATH-DEFYING DEEDS YOU'D DO FOR HER.



YES—I SEE IT! IT PASSES HERE EVERY DAY—SOMETIMES I WISH THEY'D LET ME PILOT ONE OF THOSE SHIPS



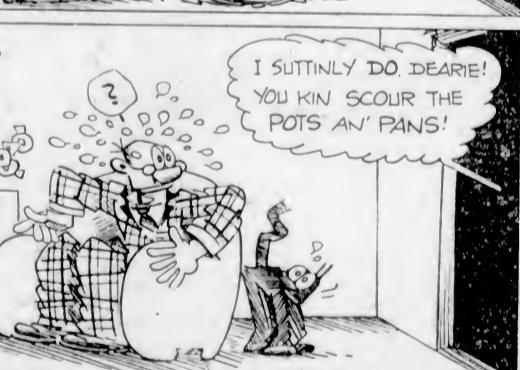
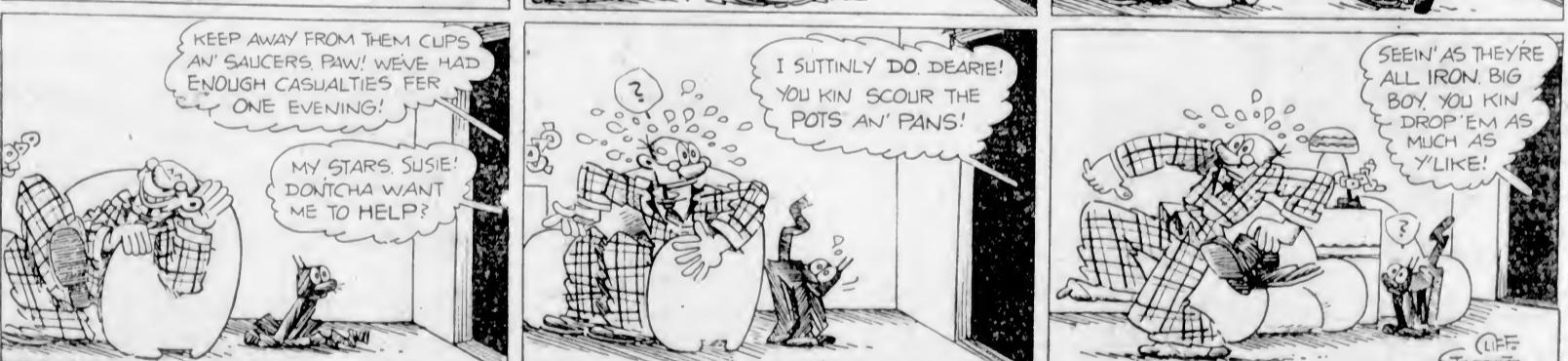
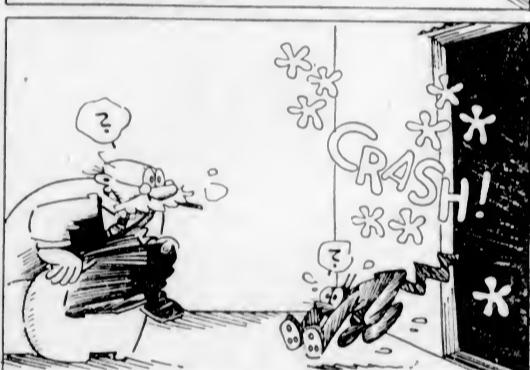
# COLONIST DAILY COMIC FEATURE

SWEET-  
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Polly and Her Pals

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## CHILDREN WEAR LOVELY DRESSES

Beautiful Costumes Seen at Annual Fancy Dress Ball Under Navy League Chapter Auspices

Among the hundreds of beautifully costumed little dancers at the annual children's fancy dress ball at the Empress on Friday evening, which was attended by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, and under the auspices of the Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., of which Mrs. Mortimer Appleby is president, were the following:

Teddy Wilson, jockey; P. Byron, Dutch girl; Hansford Burden, cowboy; Peggy Mulliner, Turkish lady; Betty Mulliner, gypsy; Anna Preston, Indian girl; Eileen Swaine, modern girl; Claudia Jesse, Christmas cracker; Roy and Jean Tisdale; Jocelyn McGraw, butterfly; John Putcher, Peter Pan; Audrey Fanthropine, rose-lot girl; Noreen Payne, Cynthia Johnson; Betty May Cameron, daddy longlegs; Tony Rose, toy soldier; Robert Seymour, King; Spring chicken; Evelyn Baily; Gloria Kent, ballet dancer; Thelma Rolfe, evergreen; Gwen Scoby, Kate Greenway; Margaret Sutcliffe, queen of flowers; Jewell Pettingill, Dutch girl; Rete Mulligan, Frances Nickeerson, fairy; Victoria Ebbs-Canavan, Little Boy Blue; John Reeves, pierrot; Leighton Manning, page; Sheila Watson, flower girl; Hazel Wright, baby; Dorothy girl; May and Hollie, Chinaman; Baby Squire, Basque; Allen Paterson, Dutch boy; Thea Arbutnott, Elizabethan lady; Betty Fawcett, hula girl; Geoffrey Hotham, Jack Tar; Dorothy and Gwen Fuggie, Peggy Brindle, Mary Wilson, Genevieve Sidle, Marcia Winona Dorman, highlander; Roma Dorman, gypsy; Phyllis Hawkes, Patay Wingate, Chinese girl; Margaret Ellips, Ethel Tomlinson, page; Helen Margaret Pullen, Irene Ellis, Chinese boy; Freda Carter, Chinese girl; Daphne Preston, Cromwellian boy; Rosalind Willis, Gladys Lindsay, Molly Charles, George Warren, clown; Zandra Munro, Graham Chambers, Bobby Watson, Laureen Duncombe, Norwegian; Georgina Dowdall, follies dancer; Marlan Wingate, Chinese girl; Margaret Goldsmith, Irish colleen; Francis O'Brien, star of the show; Dorothy Jesse, pierrette; Alan Galton, Jack Tar; Joan Carpenter, daffodil; Barbara Cox, piroette; Betty Harris, Japanese; Stella Hincks, old-fashioned lady; Dorothy Plumb, Marlan Plumb, Patay Hanbury, rose baller dancer; Ruth Horton, powder puff; Virginia Todd, baller dancer; Linda, Dorothy, Dorothy, Dorothy McPherson, John Barnes, Peggy Pidcock, Barbara Cockburn, Kythe McKenzie, Hilda Ford, fairy; Lucy Muriel Huzey, forget-me-not; Dick Eaton, Julia Will, Bill Cameron, Spaniard; Phyllis Addison, ballet girl; Jean Walker, baller girl; Florence Fraser, blue powder puff; Marjorie Scarlett, Hula girl; Ronald Tait, piper; Eddie, Eddie, Eddie Morrison, Jack Fisher, Fred Robinson, Mary Dickson, Russian; Dorothy Freeman, naught girl; Dick Freeman, Kathleen Ellis, Russian; Joyce Applegate, old-fashioned lady; Peggy Bentley, French maid; Shirley Walker, skating girl; Iris Dickson, rose petals; Joy Dickson, Dutch girl; Joann Southwell, Dutch girl; Madelyne, Shelly, Shelly, Shelly, mean, cavalier; Amy Cashmore, Bo-peep; Barbara Kathleen Fitzsimmons, Miss 1930; Erna Louise Fitzsimmons, pirate; Cecile Paget, gypsy; Loula Cameron, powder puff; Leslie Macdonald, gypsy queen; Helen Watson, gypsy; Sheila Watson, Red Riding Hood; Josie Brown, old fashioned lady; Florence Hughes, old-fashioned lady; Eric Hughes, old-fashioned gentleman; Richard Hughes, clown; Doren DeLorme, old-fashioned lady; Meme Bayley, baller dancer; Marian Miller, baller girl; Josephine Wilson, Russian; Peter Dowdall, Red Indian; Colin Peter Rutherford, Red Indian; Dorothy Bryon, My Lady O'Walking; Dorothy White, Helen Mitchell, Bunt, King, Bo-peep; Clare King, baller girl; Elsie Presley, Helen Cornwall, walking doll; Phyllis Cornwall, Turkish lady; Trevor Barlow, pierrot; Allan Macfarlane, Chinese boy; Betty Cottet, Spanish dancer; Ruth Balcon, glowworm; Jean May, gypsy; Margaret Hughes, Peter Pan; Barbara Combe, French doll; Aimie Heddle, verily Victorian; Donald Heddle, Robin Hood; June Todd, gypsy; Anna Maria, spider-eve, Lorraine Hutchings, Hawaiian girl; Yvonne Archibald, Miss 1930; Alice Oram, pierrette; Helen Unsworth, Dutch girl; Maisie Taylor, fairy; Elizabeth Pearce, Beau Brummel; Peter Pearce, Chinaman; Marjorie Ward, Dutch girl; Veronica Cleer, Matress Mary; Jean Cleer, Queen of Hearts; Jean Grogan, ballerina; Kathleen Grogan, ballerina; Maryan Peterson, Highlander; Benny Peterson, George Washington; Peter Jones, King Charles; Gwendoline Berrill, rainbow fairy; June Fletcher, Juliet; Valentine Harlock, fairy; Queen June, Byron, gypsy; Lovell Findlay, pirate; Elle Byron, Grecian dancer; Joan Pickles, a Persian dancer; Arthur Pickles, Mexican brigand; Donald Calderwood, Indian Rajah; Macrina Bothe, daffodil; Ellen Dorman, Turkish lady.

When the Scottish artist, Sir Noel Paton, was painting a picture at Osborne, he was invited to stay there and to paint his little boy of six. One day the Queen said to the child: "Will you give me a kiss?" "No," she said stoutly. "Why not?" she asked, in astonishment. Because you killed our Queen Mary," he explained. He had been told "The English Queen beheaded Mary Stuart," and thought it was a recent happening. Queen Victoria told everybody of his reply with great amusement.

### WHAT BECOMES OF THEM

The head of the firm had caught the office boy telling untruths. "Boy!" he thundered, "if you know what you do with boys who don't tell the truth!"

"Yes, sir," was the reply. "When they are old enough the firm sends them out as travelers."

Carlton Jail, for more than a century a landmark of Edinburgh, Scotland, is to be torn down.

# Annual Sale of Women's Dresses, Coats, Millinery And Bargains in Men's Suits and Overcoats For the Last Shopping Day of 1929

## This Sale of Women's DRESSES

### Offers Many Bargains in Evening and Afternoon Styles

You are offered Dresses of flat crepe, serge, flannel or georgette. A selection of styles to choose from, for . . . . . **\$5.00**

There are many Dresses made of wool jersey, silk crepe, satin or georgette. All the season's latest styles, in sizes 15 to 46, for . . . . . **\$10.00**

See the beautiful Dresses of transparent velvets, silk tweeds and silk crepes; a number of styles with flared or pleated skirts, for . . . . . **\$15.00**

We have many exquisite dresses of printed or plain silks, crepes, satins and georgettes. Styles to please each personal taste, for . . . . . **\$20.00**

Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

**Little Women's Dresses**  
**Exceptional Values.**  
**Each . . . . . \$29.75**

In this selection of Dresses for "Little Women" you will find qualities that are choice and styles that are new. Several three-piece printed velvets are shown in this lot as well as other popular materials. Each . . . . . **\$29.75**

Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

### Bargains in Women's Fur-Trimmed Coats

We offer Coats of broadcloth and tweeds in popular styles, all with fur collars and cuffs,

**\$10.00**

for . . . . . Coats of broadcloth, beautifully finished and trimmed with cuffs and collars of tinted furs. All exceptional values for . . . . . **\$18.95**

There are Coats of fine tweeds and broadcloths, popular styles, with collars and cuffs of badger, opossum, muskrat or moushion, for . . . . . **\$24.50**

There are finest grade Broadcloth Coats, luxuriously trimmed with lynx, muskrat, beaverine and opossum. All latest styles and popular shades, for . . . . . **\$35.00 and \$45.00**

Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

## For the Schoolgirl

The schoolgirl will need more clothes with which to begin the new term. Here are some excellent bargains for the practical mother.

White Jean Midfies with short sleeves and gay collars of scarlet, blue, navy or white. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Special, **\$1.00**

Navy Blue Serge Pleated Skirts with detachable white cotton bodice. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Each **\$1.95**

All-Wool Coat Sweaters with polo collars. Shown in fawn, blue, navy and scarlet. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Each **\$2.95**

Navy Blue Serge Dresses with white linen collars and long sleeves. Sizes 6 to 16 years. Each **\$5.95**

All-Wool Jersey Cloth Dresses with V neck or collar, long sleeves, belt and pleats at side. Shades are green, fawn, blue and scarlet. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Each **\$6.75**

Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Novelties for Your New Year Party

Party Boxes, containing an assortment of 12 Novelty Caps and 12 Novelty Toys. A box **\$1.00**

Newspaper Dolls on Sticks, each **.25¢**

Sparklers, per dozen **.10¢**

Caps, price from a dozen **.50¢**

Balloons, a dozen **.50¢**

Crepe Paper Costumes, priced at, each **.25¢, .50¢ and .75¢**

Lower Main Floor



## In Our French Room

### Every Garment at Less One-Third

This is your opportunity to secure an exclusive model, either for evening or for afternoon wear. Some very interesting gowns are shown, featuring the new silhouette, and uneven hemline. Graceful designs that are really distinctive.

Mantle Room, 1st Floor

## A Great Choice of Party Frocks

Now at Bargain Prices

There are styles most becoming to either matrons or misses—Frocks that possess a daintiness and finish that will compel attention.

Silks and Velvets, in sizes 14 to 44, reduced to sell at three prices

**\$7.50 \$12.50 \$16.50**

Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

## Secure Your Fur Coat Now At One-Third Less

This is a wonderful opportunity to get a fur coat at a price much lower than usual.

Coats of Beaverine Now **\$57.50**  
to **\$85.00**

Coats of Electric Seal Now **\$47.50**  
to **\$117.50**

Coats of Muskrat Now **\$85.00**  
to **\$165.00**

Coats of Hudson Seal Now **\$235.00**  
and **\$395.00**

Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

## An Exceptional Reduction on Skirts

For Women or Misses

A wide selection of Skirts, made of flannel, tweed, serge or fine check materials. New styles, flared or pleated. At two prices, each

**\$2.95 \$5.95**

Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

## Men's Silk-Lined GABARDINE COATS

Each, **\$12.95**

A sale of Gabardine Coats at a price most unusual for this grade. There are both double and single-breasted models to choose from, each rainproof and windproof. Medium and dark shades. Ideal coats for street or motoring wear. Your choice for . . . . . **\$12.95**

Men's Clothing, Main Floor



## Sale of Model Hats

A few dozen Model Hats in satin, velvet, fur felt, etc. Exceptionally good values, in all the latest styles. At less than half price, each **\$6.98**  
A large selection of Trimmed Hats for women and girls. The lot includes velvet, felt, sequin and satin hats, to suit all types. Greatly reduced to, each **\$2.98**  
All Children's Felt Hats, values to \$2.95 each, to clear at, each **98¢**

Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

## Raincoats On Sale for **\$3.95 and \$4.95**

A choice of Leatherette or Rubberized Coats, double or single-breasted, and in red, blue, brown, navy and black shades. Exceptional values today.

Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

## FINE IMPORTED RAINCOATS On Sale at **\$11.90**

These are Imported Coats of excellent materials, including silk, moire, satin gabardine and silk finish. Each a bargain for . . . . . **\$11.90**

Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

## Men's Suits Of Wool Tweeds and Worsts

On Sale for

**\$15.00 and  
\$23.50**

Suits of All-Wool Tweeds, single or double-breasted models. Many with two pairs of pants. Neat fitting and in numerous shades, such as grey, brown, stripes and fancy mixtures. Each, **\$15.00**

Excellent Quality Suits, well tailored from English wool tweeds and worsteds; pencil stripes, checks, diamond weaves and fancy worsteds. A group of very high-class suits at a bargain price . . . . . **\$23.50**

Men's Clothing, Main Floor

## Men's Overcoats

Two Bargains Today

**\$17.50 and  
\$23.50**

Overcoats of Wool Tweeds and Blue Chinchillas, in styles that are favorites. Well tailored silk-lined coats that have been greatly reduced for this sale. All sizes. Each . . . . . **\$17.50**

Best Grade All-Wool Tweed Overcoats, made in single or double-breasted styles. A selection of the most popular shades and weaves to choose from. Each a great bargain for . . . . . **\$23.50**

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